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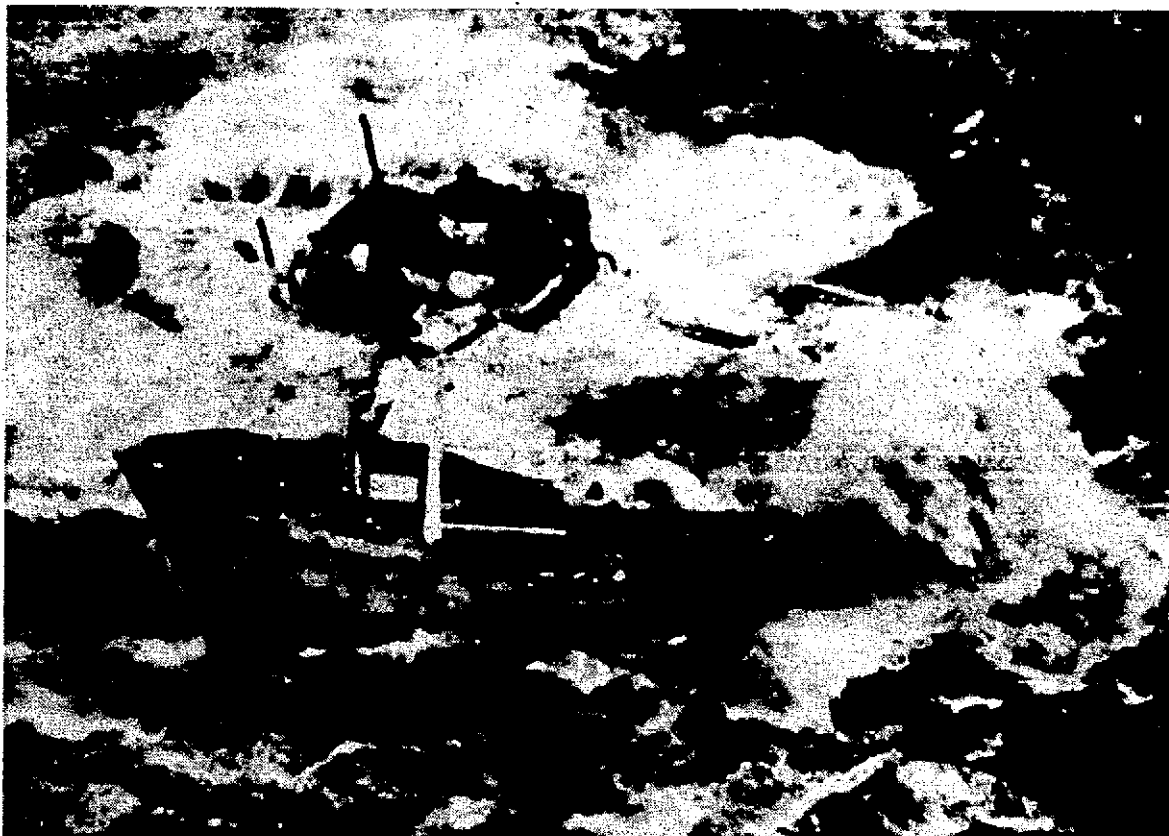
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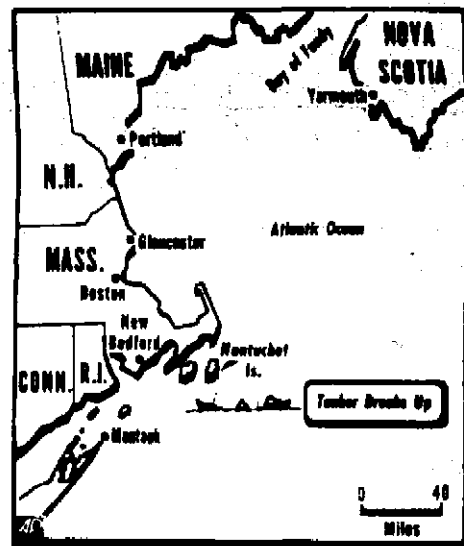
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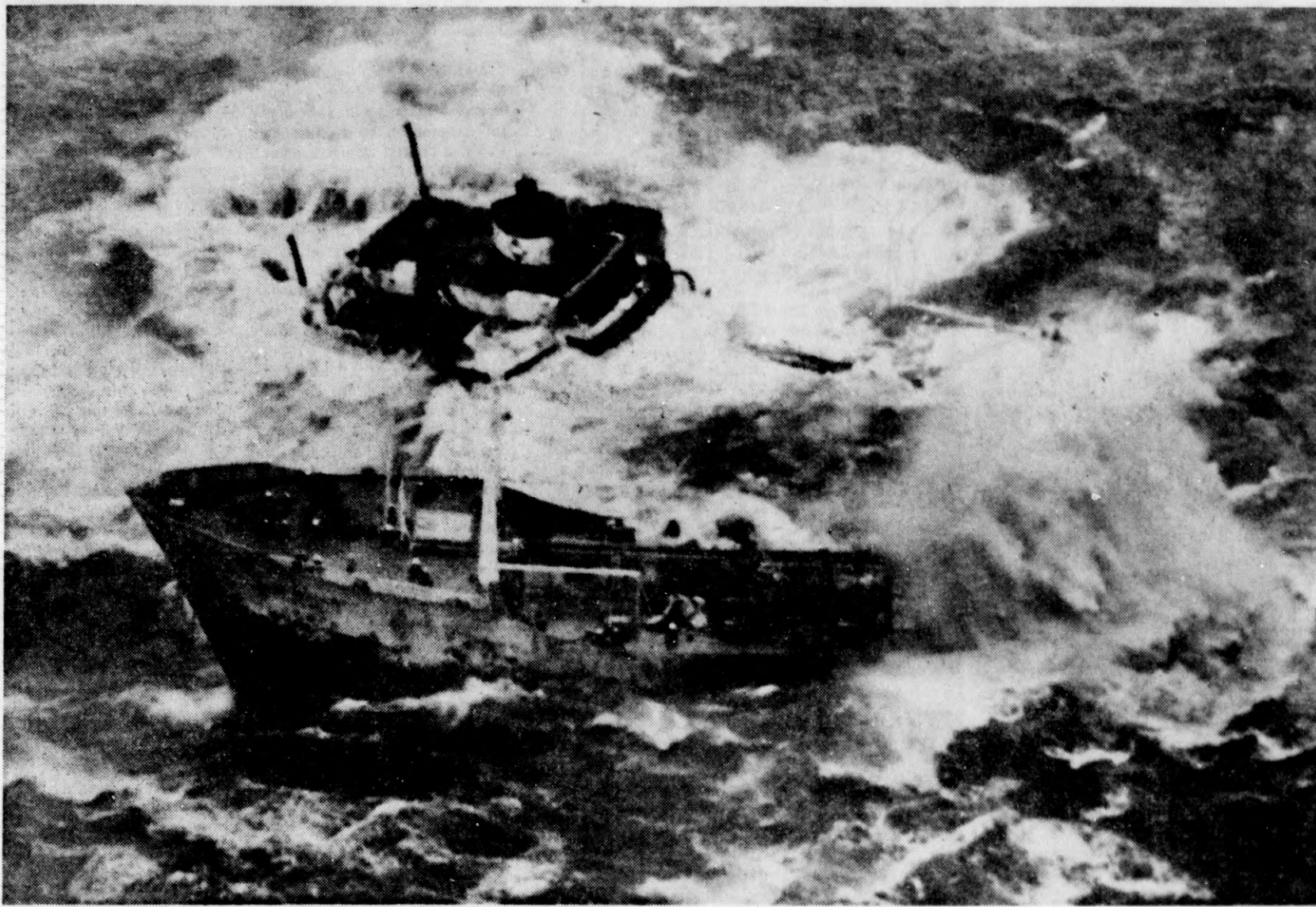
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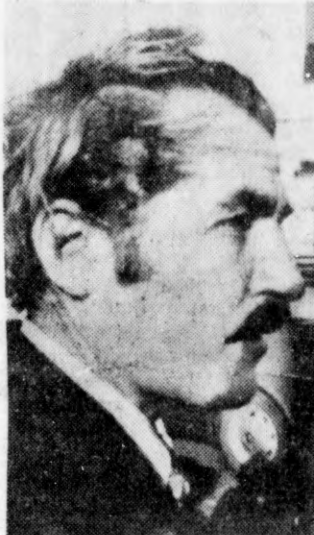
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The City Of Chicago Loses Its Big Man

Every Chicagoan knew it would happen some day.

Richard J. Daley would no longer preside as the chief executive of America's most dynamic large city.

Few, however, expected it to occur until at least serving out his sixth term in office. Fewer still outside the city hall power structure gave much thought to his replacement or what life in the Windy City might be like with Daley no longer on the scene.

A devastating heart attack early Monday afternoon brings both questions into unwelcome focus.

In politics, starting at the ward level since the age of 25, Daley became a legend long before death halted his long, distinguished career.

As far back as the 1950s, the political pundits were referring to him as the last of the big city machine bosses and what opposition showed its head from time to time, in reality, voiced little more than a formalized protest.

Like all great leaders emerging from the battle of the ballot, Daley suffered a few reverses.

He lost an election bid in 1946 to be Cook County's sheriff.

Four years ago William Singer, then an alderman, stacked the Illinois delegation to the Democratic national convention so as to deny Daley the chairmanship and even a seat at the conclave which nominated George McGovern.

Four years ago Daley failed to keep insurgent Dan Walker from winning the Democratic nomination for governor, a nomination that Walker parlayed into a four-year term.

Daley learned more than he lost in those defeats.

Daley quickly recovered from the 1946 setback to concentrate on working his way up through the Cook County Democratic hierarchy.

Singer took a drubbing in an effort for renomination as alderman and is now peering out from the quietude of a law office.

Daley henchman Michael Howlett knocked off Walker in this year's Democratic primary.

Big Jim Thompson, the federal district attorney turned Republican

gubernatorial candidate, disposed of Howlett in last month's general election. But Daley didn't seem too unhappy.

Affable as he preferred to be and tough when he had to be, Daley made a fetish of organization, of keeping the troops in line and seeing to it they delivered when it counts, not only on election day but in the several hundred days between elections.

That Chicago benefitted from his masterful direction of its civic affairs is, as the lawyers say, so self apparent as to require no evidence to be adduced in support of the statement.

It is one of the few cities of any size that is solvent, whose streets, comparatively speaking, are safe to walk upon, and whose syndrome is one the optimistic side.

Quite apparently, no one man can do everything on his own. It is just that Daley was the man who inspired enough other people to want it to happen for their city.

His unexpected death accentuates an apprehension of what comes next.

Daley was unique among political bosses.

Chicago's wellbeing meant as much to him as leading the St. Patrick's Day parade down State street.

The man on the street instinctively grasped this.

He accepted this dedication willingly as an example of enlightened self interest in its most desired form.

Yet, in common with all bosses, Daley skillfully kept his associates in the background and their hands from the throttle.

The consequence is to leave no one of comparable stature to step into his shoes.

The Cook County Democratic organization is not likely to fall apart at the seams, but the danger is strong to hold it together with postures and personalities emphasizing the machine's perpetuation.

Daley operated from the principle that what's good for Chicago is good for his party.

Chicagoans have good reason to worry if his successor may feel the reverse is in order.

A Quarter Century Of Nuclear Power

It was a relatively little-noted event at the time. And why shouldn't it have been? There were plenty of other things to worry about in those final days of December 1951. The Panmunjom truce talks were deadlocked, trying to reach a Korean War armistice agreement. The nation was worried about the fate of four U.S. Air Force fliers whose plane had been forced down in Hungary. The House Un-American Activities Committee issued a report urging the death penalty for peacetime espionage. And a Cleveland woman became the nation's millionth automobile death, according to the Associated Press.

So few people took notice when the Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) announced, on Dec. 29, 1951, that an experimental atomic reactor near Arco, Idaho, had produced the first electric power ever made from nuclear energy. Heat from the Snake River reactor produced steam for a generator that supplied current to the reactor building. But most people were more interested in the Navy's announcement the same month that its first atomic-powered submarine would be named the Nautilus, or that radioactive snow resulting from U.S. atomic bomb tests had fallen in central France.

But before long it became clear that nuclear power was an important option for meeting the nation's growing demands for electric power. In his famous "Atoms for Peace" address to the United Nations General Assembly in 1953, President Dwight D. Eisenhower urged that atomic energy be used to "serve the peaceful pursuits of mankind." The following year Congress responded to pressure from the private electric industry, which wanted to be able to build and operate commercial nuclear power plants. The Atomic Energy Act of 1954 finally let private industry enter the nuclear power business, previously a federal monopoly. But since the field was fraught with great financial risks and unanswered safety questions, the AEC would continue its research and development efforts, operate experimental plants and subsidize nuclear development.

As it turned out, the industry was so cautious that the AEC had to provide virtually every conceivable type of assistance except the actual construction of private reactors. In December of 1957, the first full-scale civilian nuclear plant in the United States began to generate electricity on the Ohio River near Shippingport, Pa. It was jointly owned by the Duquesne Light Company and the AEC. The age of commercial nuclear power had begun.



Ambulance Woes Sideline Emergency Medical Plan

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Some \$87,000 worth of emergency medical equipment is sidelined while Twin City hospital officials await word on future ambulance service and training of personnel to operate the equipment.

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The City Of Chicago Loses Its Big Man

Every Chicagoan knew it would happen some day.

Richard J. Daley would no longer preside as the chief executive of America's most dynamic large city.

Few, however, expected it to occur until at least serving out his sixth term in office. Fewer still outside the city hall power structure gave much thought to his replacement or what life in the Windy City might be like with Daley no longer on the scene.

A devastating heart attack early Monday afternoon brings both questions into unwelcome focus.

In politics, starting at the ward level since the age of 25, Daley became a legend long before death halted his long, distinguished career.

As far back as the 1950s, the political pundits were referring to him as the last of the big city machine bosses and what opposition showed its head from time to time, in reality, voiced little more than a formalized protest.

Like all great leaders emerging from the battle of the ballot, Daley suffered a few reverses.

He lost an election bid in 1946 to be Cook County's sheriff.

Four years ago William Singer, then an alderman, stacked the Illinois delegation to the Democratic national convention so as to deny Daley the chairmanship and even a seat at the conclave which nominated George McGovern.

Four years ago Daley failed to keep insurgent Dan Walker from winning the Democratic nomination for governor, a nomination that Walker parlayed into a four-year term.

Daley learned more than he lost in those defeats.

Daley quickly recovered from the 1946 setback to concentrate on working his way up through the Cook County Democratic hierarchy.

Singer took a drubbing in an effort for renomination as alderman and is now peering out from the quietude of a law office.

Daley henchman Michael Howlett knocked off Walker in this year's Democratic primary.

Big Jim Thompson, the federal district attorney turned Republican

gubernatorial candidate, disposed of Howlett in last month's general election. But Daley didn't seem too unhappy.

Affable as he preferred to be and tough when he had to be, Daley made a fetish of organization, of keeping the troops in line and seeing to it they delivered when it counts, not only on election day but in the several hundred days between elections.

That Chicago benefitted from his masterful direction of its civic affairs is, as the lawyers say, so self apparent as to require no evidence to be adduced in support of the statement.

It is one of the few cities of any size that is solvent, whose streets, comparatively speaking, are safe to walk upon, and whose syndrome is one the optimistic side.

Quite apparently, no one man can do everything on his own. It is just that Daley was the man who inspired enough other people to want it to happen for their city.

His unexpected death accentuates an apprehension of what comes next.

Daley was unique among political bosses.

Chicago's wellbeing meant as much to him as leading the St. Patrick's Day parade down State street.

The man on the street instinctively grasped this.

He accepted this dedication willingly as an example of enlightened self interest in its most desired form.

Yet, in common with all bosses, Daley skillfully kept his associates in the background and their hands from the throttle.

The consequence is to leave no one of comparable stature to step into his shoes.

The Cook County Democratic organization is not likely to fall apart at the seams, but the danger is strong to hold it together with postures and personalities emphasizing the machine's perpetuation.

Daley operated from the principle that what's good for Chicago is good for his party.

Chicagoans have good reason to worry if his successor may feel the reverse is in order.

A Quarter Century Of Nuclear Power

It was a relatively little-noted event at the time. And why shouldn't it have been? There were plenty of other things to worry about in those final days of December 1951. The Panmunjom truce talks were deadlocked, trying to reach a Korean War armistice agreement. The nation was worried about the fate of four U.S. Air Force fliers whose plane had been forced down in Hungary. The House Un-American Activities Committee issued a report urging the death penalty for peacetime espionage. And a Cleveland woman became the nation's millionth automobile death, according to the Associated Press.

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Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) announced, on Dec. 29, 1951, that an experimental atomic reactor near Arco, Idaho, had produced the first electric power ever made from nuclear energy. Heat from the Snake River reactor produced steam for a generator that supplied current to the reactor building. But most people were more interested in the Navy's announcement the same month that its first atomic-powered submarine would be named the Nautilus, or that radioactive snow resulting from U.S. atomic bomb tests had fallen in central France.

But before long it became clear that nuclear power was an important option for meeting the nation's growing demands for electric power. In his famous "Atoms for Peace" address to the United Nations General Assembly in 1953, President Dwight D. Eisenhower urged that atomic energy be used to "serve the peaceful pursuits of mankind." The following year Congress responded to pressure from the private electric industry, which wanted to be able to build and operate commercial nuclear power plants. The Atomic Energy Act of 1954 finally let private industry enter the nuclear power business, previously a federal monopoly. But since the field was fraught with great financial risks and unanswered safety questions, the AEC would continue its research and development efforts, operate experimental plants and subsidize nuclear development.

As it turned out, the industry was so cautious that the AEC had to provide virtually every conceivable type of assistance except the actual construction of private reactors. In December of 1957, the first full-scale civilian nuclear plant in the United States began to generate electricity on the Ohio River near Shippingport, Pa. It was jointly owned by the Duquesne Light Company and the AEC. The age of commercial nuclear power had begun.

So Far, So Good!



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Lincoln Awards Sewer Planning Contract

BY AL AREND
Staff Writer

As expected, the Lincoln township board last night approved awarding a \$338,400 contract to Barger Engineering, St. Joseph, to draw up plans for a township-wide sewage collection system. Last week the board delayed its decision for one week to give residents time to review the proposed project. Eight residents braved treacherous road conditions to attend last night's special meeting and none voiced opposition to the plan.

In unanimously approving the contract with Barger, the board specified the engineering work and application must be completed by June 1, in order to meet the deadline to be eligible for state and federal funding. When completed, the plans would be submitted to state and federal officials along with an application for sewer construction grants that could cover up to 80 per cent of the estimated \$7.4 million construction costs. Due to the short time element involved, the township did not have enough time to go through the process of applying for a grant to help fund en-

gineering costs.

If approved, the overall cost for the sewer service, estimated at \$9,200,000 would be reduced to each property owner from an estimated \$3,000 to \$1,500, Supervisor Bernice Tretheway said. The area for which sewers are planned covers all portions of the township that have public water, except the village of Stevensville. Local funds for the project would be raised by special assessment.

It was indicated by the board that it feels its chances for receiving such a grant are very good and it has received heavy

encouragement at the state level to proceed. In the event the project is not funded, the engineering plans could still be used in the future. A portion of the engineering costs would be borne by two districts that have already petitioned for sewer service.

The remaining portion, some \$225,000 would be paid probably without an increase in taxes, according to Mrs. Tretheway. "As more districts petition for sewer, more of the engineering costs will come back into the township," SHE SAID.

Police-Fire Building Planned In Benton

The Benton township board of trustees last night directed an architect to proceed with plans for construction of a new public safety building that is dependent on receiving a federal grant.

Supervisor Catheryn Sirk said the building to house the police department and central fire station would cost an estimated \$384,582. Another \$91,000 would

be spent to renovate the present municipal building, bringing total costs to \$1,065,582.

Mrs. Sirk said separate applications were filed with a federal agency for each project, and the township expects to know by Jan. 1 if they have been approved.

The new public safety building would front Crystal avenue, just north of Territorial road, on township-owned land. It would be behind the municipal building which fronts Territorial.

Woman Hired In Benton



MRS. GLORIA ENGELHARDT
Takes Benton post

Mrs. Gloria Engelhardt has been hired to the \$15,000 a year post of associate of Benton township's Community Development program. Her appointment was announced to the township board last night by Judd Spray, director of community development.

Mrs. Engelhardt was employed by the City of Benton Harbor 12 years, most recently as community development neighborhood rehabilitation officer.

She started work Dec. 13 with the federally-funded community development in Benton.

Mrs. Engelhardt and her husband, John, live at 4453 Chaparral road, Royalton township.

BH Good Fellows Won't Quit

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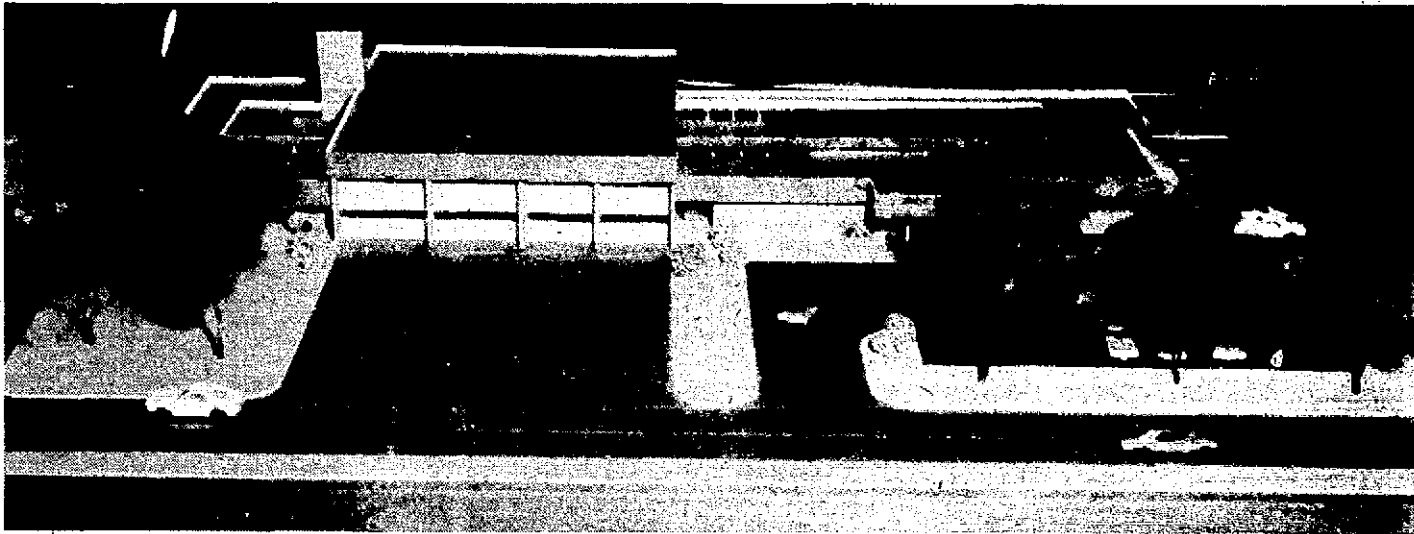
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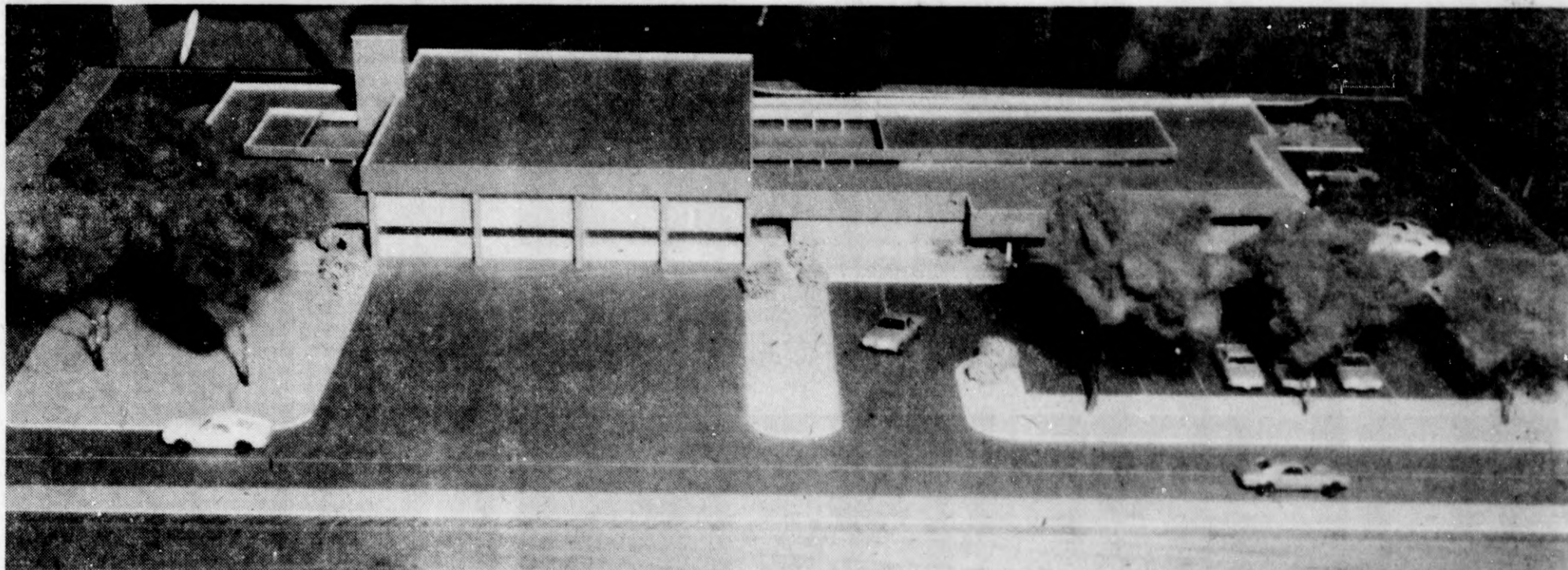
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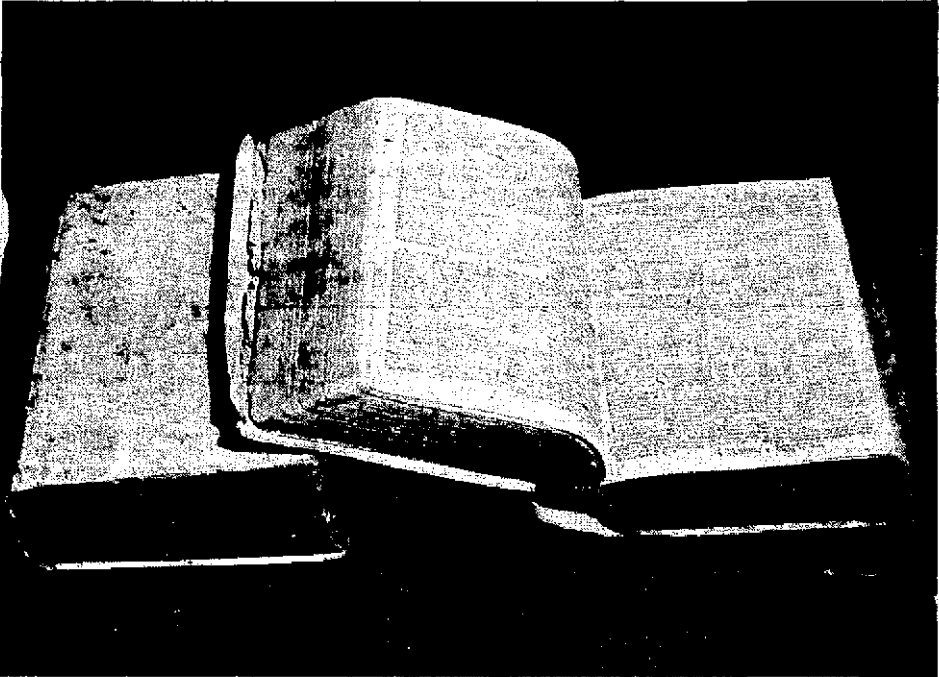
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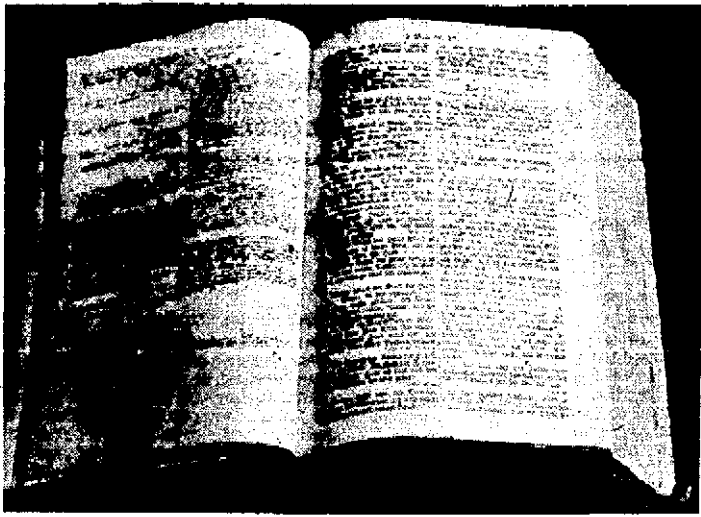
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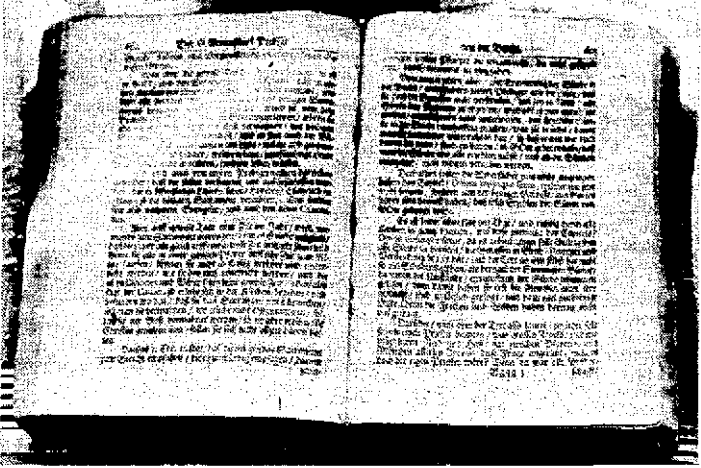


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Make Santa Puppets

We're all children at heart — especially when it comes to Santa Claus. Who can resist that jolly old soul from the North who brightens the whole Christmas season year after year?

Santa crops up in many shapes and sizes during the holidays, but one version that's sure to please the whole family is this delightful do-it-yourself Santa puppet.

Make it as a gift for a favorite niece, nephew or grandchild, or put it together with your own family's entertainment in mind. Either way, it is sure to be a hit!

Here's what you'll need:

— First punch a circle of holes on the smaller half of the hosiery egg with a letter opener, ice pick or other handy sharp tool. Then, using an artist's knife, cut the hole large enough to poke your middle finger through. Glue both halves together with super strength adhesive.

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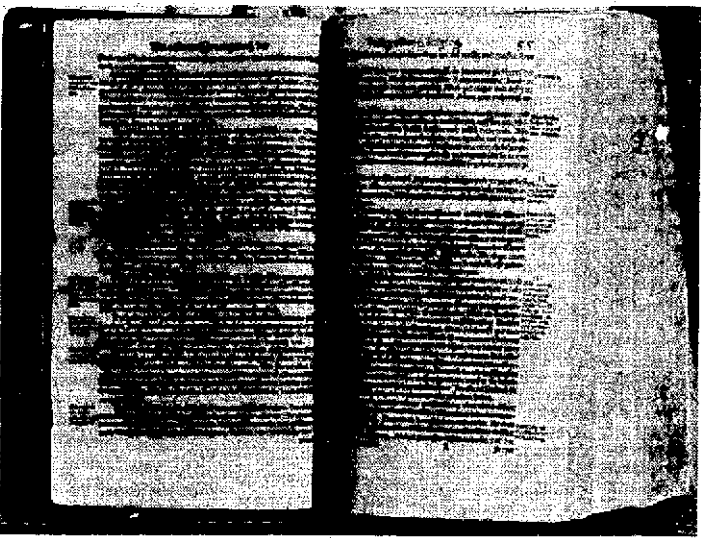
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Also Mrs. Martin Mitch, inner sentinel; Mrs. Grace Liska, outer sentinel, and Miss Mabel Miles, three-year member of the board of managers.

Brevity

Announce Birth — Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Alberts, 600 North McClug Court, Chicago, Ill., announce the birth of a son, Benjamin Bartlett weighing 6 pounds, Dec. 17 at Michael Reese hospital, Chicago. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harold Alberts of Benton Harbor.



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Finds Flute Is Popular

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Associated Press Writer

Doriot Anthony Dwyer, speaking of the flood of new musical compositions which has been commissioned by the Bicentennial, says, "I hope some of it will be flute music — there has been a big upsurge of flute playing."

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"It can be used in many different ways," she said in an interview. "And there are more great players performing in public."

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Bruno Walter first hired her as first flutist with the Hollywood Bowl Symphony after she had played with the National Symphony in Washington and the Los Angeles Philharmonic. It was Charles Munch who auditioned her, after hearing many male flutists, and gave her the first chair position with the Boston.

"It was quite hairy at one time, being a woman musician," she said. "Lots of times I wouldn't get my letters answered when I was looking for a job, because I was a woman."

As for what she regards as the upsurge in popularity of the flute, she notes that it is easy to carry around and, that while not

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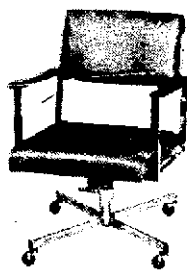
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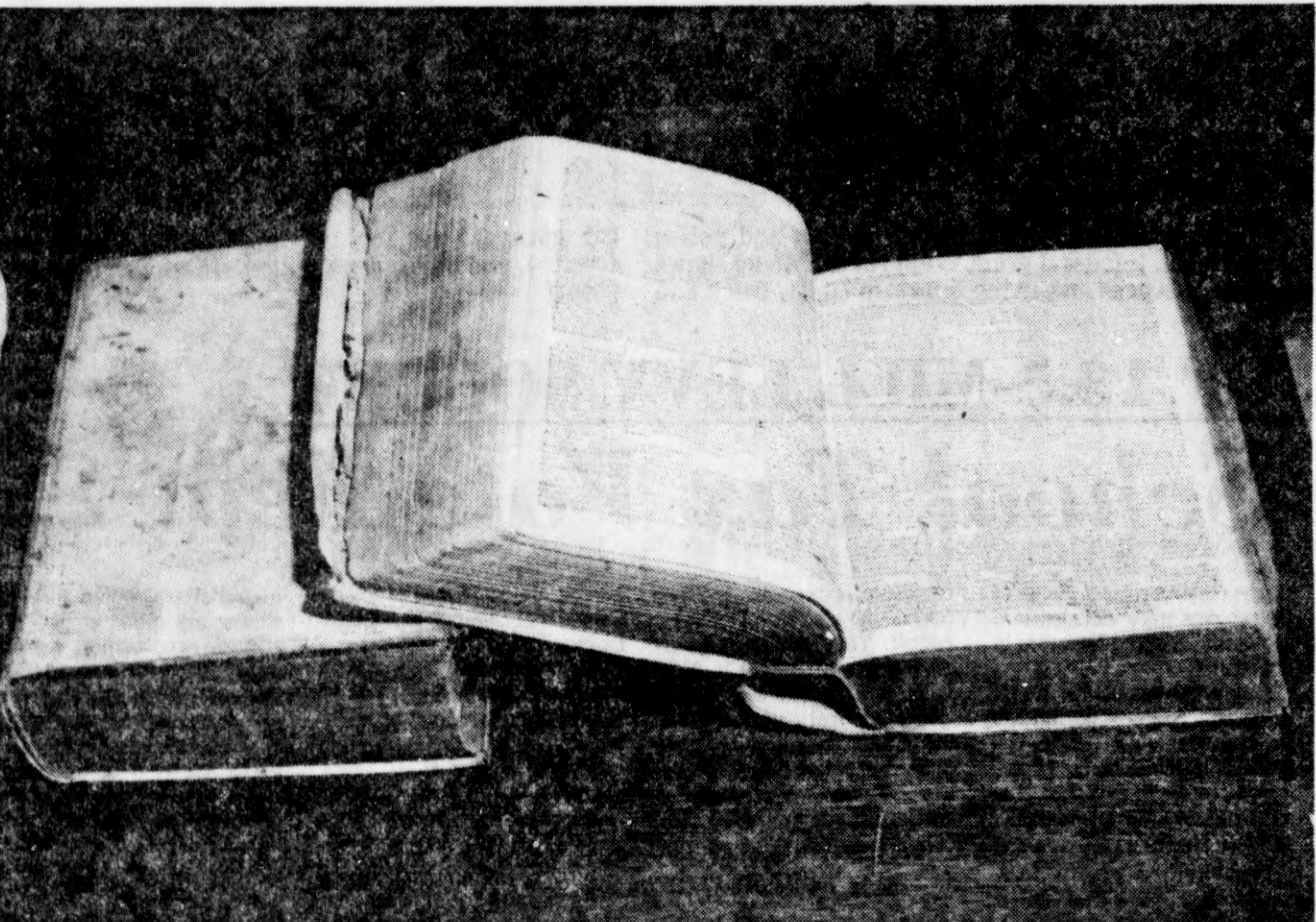
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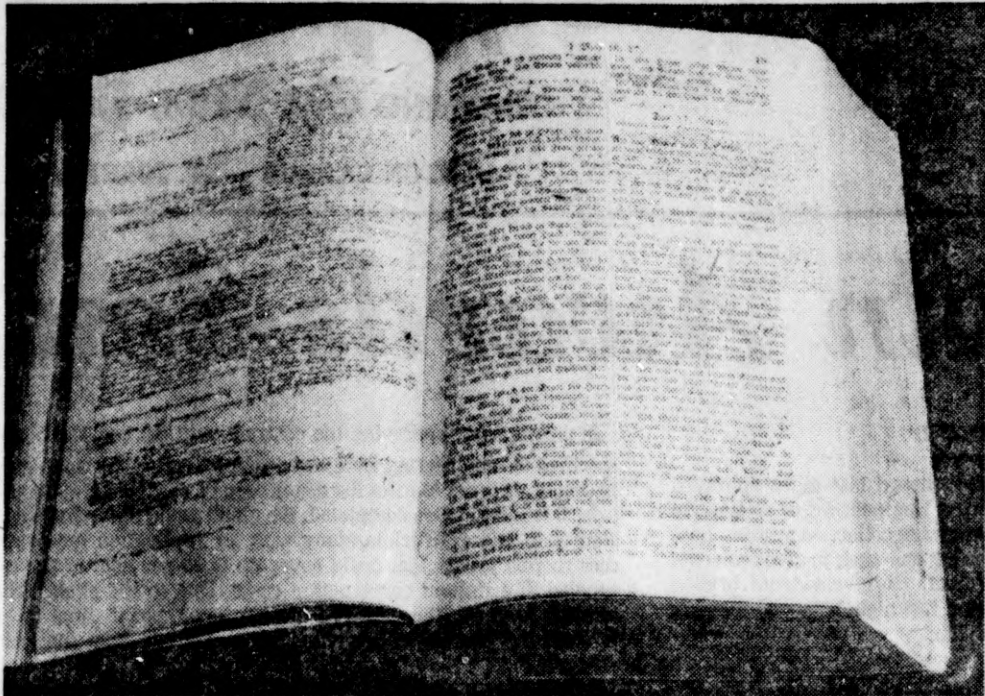
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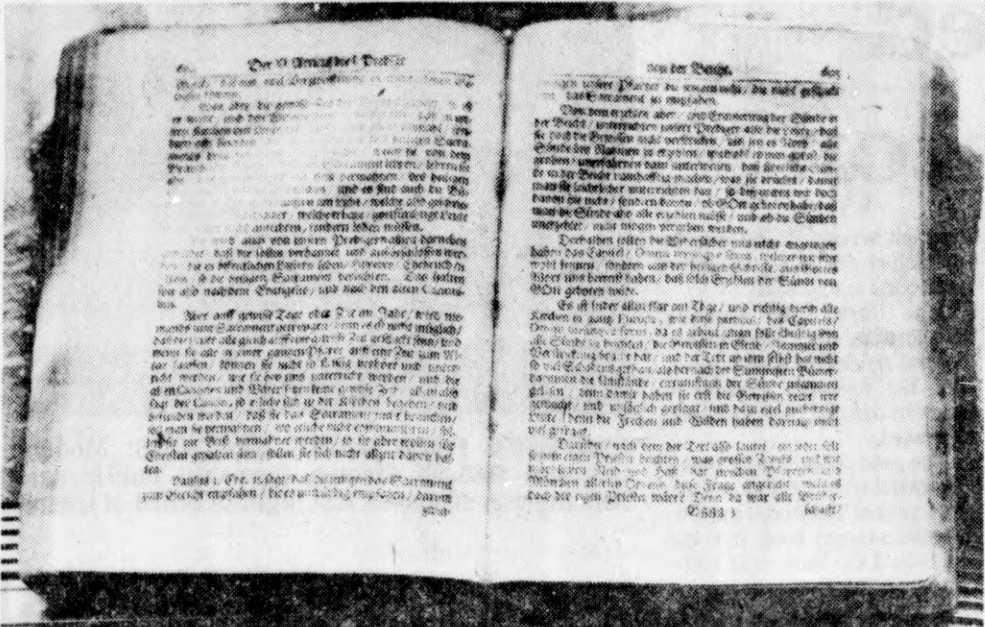
LIBRARY DISPLAY: Gerald Kuhn of St. Joseph holds one of his rare Bibles and books now on display at Maud Preston Palenske Memorial library, St. Joseph. Kuhn said his father had collected books all his life and at one time the collection numbered 1,000 volumes. He gave most of them away keeping 25 rare and old books and Bibles, which now belong to Kuhn.



TWO VOLUMES: A two-volume Bible printed in Hamburg, Germany, in 1712, is among those rare books on display. This Bible has five translations and includes versions in Lutheran, Catholic, Reformed, Jewish and Dutch. Kuhn formerly served as city editor of The Herald-Press in St. Joseph from 1937 to 1956. (Staff photos)



HANDWRITTEN EXPLANATION: This Holy Bible printed in 1878 includes Martin Luther's translation of the Bible. It also contained blank pages on which handwritten explanations were added by the owner. This Bible and other rare books are on display through December at Maud Preston Palenske Memorial library, St. Joseph, and are owned by Gerald Kuhn of St. Joseph. Among other books on display are a book of Epistle sermons printed in Leipzig, Germany, in 1692; a sermon book printed in Erfurt, Germany, in 1721; a family Bible printed in Philadelphia, Pa., in 1904; a Bible printed in Hartford, Conn., in 1821, and a book of devotions printed in 1698 in Leipzig, Germany.



SERMON BOOK: This book is a sermon about the Augsburg Confession and was printed in Leipzig, Germany, in 1685. It has a pigskin cover. Among other books on display is Martin Luther's small catechism with questions and answers printed in St. Louis, Mo., in 1858. There is also a book of Gospel Sermons preached in Leipzig, Germany, and published in Bresslau, Germany, in 1731; a book of devotions printed in Danzig, Germany, in 1695; a song book printed in 1867 in Bielefeld, Germany, and a book of philosophy printed in 1724 in Halle, Germany.

Make Santa Puppets

We're all children at heart — especially when it comes to Santa Claus. Who can resist that jolly old soul from the North who brightens the whole Christmas season year after year?

Santa crops up in many shapes and sizes during the holidays, but one version that's sure to please the whole family is this delightful do-it-yourself Santa puppet.

Make it as a gift for a favorite niece, nephew or grandchild, or put it together with your own family's entertainment in mind. Either way, it is sure to be a hit! Here's what you'll need:

Scraps of felt in red, white and black; egg-shaped hosiery container, super strength adhesive, red and black waterproof marking pens, artist's knife and letter opener or ice pick.

Here are some easy-to-follow instructions:

— First punch a circle of holes on the smaller half of the hosiery egg with a letter opener, ice pick or other handy sharp tool. Then, using an artist's knife, cut the hole large enough to poke your middle finger through. Glue both halves together with super strength adhesive.

— Using waterproof marking pens, add eyes, nose and a jolly mouth. For Santa's beard, glue on cotton balls or pieces of cotton batting. Cut his hat from a felt triangle, that's six inches wide at the base. Then simply fold in half, glue along the edge and attach a cotton ball to make the tassel.

— Now cut two pieces of felt shaped like a "T" for Santa's suit. Make your "T" eight and one-half inches from top to bottom, six and one-quarter inches wide at the stem, with the cross bar nine inches wide and two and one-quarter inches deep. You can use the same adhesive, as it works equally well on fabric, paper and plastic. The hands, belt and buckles — all cut out of felt — are attached next.

— Finally, just glue the suit to the neck opening and Santa will be ready to join the whole family for a merry season of holiday fun!

Re-Elect Primrose Oracle

BUCHANAN — Mrs. John Jennings has been reelected oracle of Primrose Camp, Royal Neighbors of America.

Other officers for 1977 include Mrs. Clair Baldwin, vice oracle; Mrs. Claude Sheldon, past oracle; Mrs. May Rouse, chancellor; Mrs. Charles Oxender, recorder; Mrs. Everett Baughman, receiver; Mrs. Lee Miller, marshal.

Also Mrs. Martin Mitch, inner sentinel; Mrs. Grace Liska, outer sentinel, and Miss Mabel Miles, three-year member of the board of managers.

Brevity

Announce Birth — Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Alberts, 600 North McClurg Court, Chicago, Ill., announce the birth of a son, Benjamin Bartlett weighing 6 pounds, Dec. 17 at Michael Reese hospital, Chicago. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harold Alberts of Benton Harbor.

Around the clock with WOMEN

Finds Flute Is Popular

By DONALD SANDERS
Associated Press Writer

Doriot Anthony Dwyer, speaking of the flood of new musical compositions which has been commissioned by the Bicentennial, says, "I hope some of it will be flute music — there has been a big upsurge of flute playing."

Miss Dwyer becomes something of a zealot when she talks about the flute, as well she might. She has been principal flutist with the Boston Symphony Orchestra for more than 20 years — the first woman appointed a principal player with a major United States musical organization.

"It can be used in many different ways," she said in an interview. "And there are more great players performing in public."

"She performed in three recitals called 'Doriot Anthony Dwyer and Friends' at

Carnegie Recital hall in New York in the past season and has been invited back next year. She recently completed a tour of the country with the Boston Symphony Chamber Players.

Bruno Walter first hired her as first flutist with the Hollywood Bowl Symphony after she had played with the National Symphony in Washington and the Los Angeles Philharmonic. It was Charles Munch who auditioned her, after hearing many male flutists, and gave her the first chair position with the Boston.

"It was quite hairy at one time, being a woman musician," she said. "Lots of times I wouldn't get my letters answered when I was looking for a job, because I was a woman."

As for what she regards as the upsurge in popularity of the flute, she notes that it is easy to carry around and, that while not

inexpensive, it does cost less than an organ, a piano or harp.

"You can play notes faster than on a stringed instrument," she added. "String playing is so long and tedious — it's a very difficult art."

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One and one-half dozen frozen potato rounds
One and one-half dozen cooked shrimp

Wooden picks or skewers
Melted butter or margarine
Cocktail Sauce (recipe follows)

An hour or two before serving time, put potato rounds on greased cookie sheet. Bake in 450 degree oven fifteen minutes. Cool five minutes; then thread one round and one shrimp on each pick. Arrange on cookie sheet. Brush with melted butter. Cover loosely and refrigerate.

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Cocktail Sauce: Blend one-half cup chili sauce with one-fourth cup dry red wine, one teaspoon lemon juice, one-eighth teaspoon each salt and hot pepper sauce. Makes about three-fourths cup.

CHEESE TOTS

One and one-half dozen frozen potato rounds

Nine slices bacon
Eighteen small cubes cheese, with caraway seeds, or cheese of your choice

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TUNA TEASERS

Instant potato flakes to make one and one-half cups mashed potatoes or one and one-half cups leftover mashed potatoes
One-half can (seven ounces) tuna, flaked

Two egg yolks
Two tablespoons chopped green onions

One-half teaspoon salt
One-eighth teaspoon each pepper and hot pepper sauce

One cup seasoned croutons, lightly crushed

Two tablespoons grated Parmesan cheese

One-half teaspoon paprika

Hot Mustard Dip (recipe follows)

Prepare mashed potatoes, as package directs, except decrease water by two tablespoons. With fork, mix in tuna, yolks, onion and seasonings.

Shape large "marbles," with melon baller or teaspoon. Roll in mixture of crushed croutons, cheese and paprika. Chill one hour or overnight. (Can also be frozen.)

At serving time, place on greased cookie sheet. Bake in 450 degree oven fifteen minutes or until golden. Cool three minutes. Serve warm, on picks, with Hot Mustard Dip. Makes two and one-half dozen.

Hot Mustard Dip: In small saucepan, whisk one egg. Stir in two tablespoons dry mustard, one-fourth cup cider vinegar, two tablespoons sugar and one-eighth teaspoon salt.

Cook and stir over low heat until smooth and thickened. Cool. Fold in one-half cup mayonnaise. Makes about one cup.

PARTY PATE LOAF

One package onion flavor meat extender

Two-thirds cup warm water

Two-thirds cup dry sherry

One pound ground beef

One egg, beaten

One-half cup soft bread crumbs

One-half cup finely chopped parsley

One-half teaspoon crushed thyme

Three hard-cooked eggs
One package (eight ounces)

refrigerated crescent rolls

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. In large bowl, combine onion flavor meat extender, water, and sherry. Add ground beef, egg, bread crumbs, parsley, and thyme; mix thoroughly.

In shallow baking pan, shape one-third beef mixture into rectangle (about eight by four inches); vertically arrange hard-cooked eggs. Cover with remaining beef mixture, shaping into loaf.

Separate crescent dough and flatten slightly; arrange dough to completely cover loaf, sealing edges. Trim off excess dough and use, if desired, to make garnishes for loaf. Bake 45 minutes or until brown. Cool completely, then chill several hours or overnight. To serve, cut into very thin slices. Makes one loaf.

SALMON CHEESE PATE

One can (seven and three-fourths ounces) salmon

One package (eight ounces) cream cheese, softened at room temperature

One-fourth cup crumbled blue cheese

One tablespoon grated onion

Two tablespoons chopped parsley

One tablespoon lemon juice

One-half teaspoon anchovy paste (optional)

One-fourth teaspoon pepper

One teaspoon Worcestershire sauce

Dash garlic powder

Sprigs of parsley, for garnish

Drain salmon. Blend cheeses with salmon and seasonings until smooth. Mold in small bowl lined with plastic wrap. Chill several hours.

Unmold to serve, garnishing with sprigs of parsley. Serve with crackers, toast rounds or thinly sliced rye bread. Makes about two cups pate.

HOT DILLY SALMON DIP

One can (seven and three-fourths ounces) salmon

One package (eight ounces) cream cheese

One-half cup dairy sour cream

One can (ten and one-half ounces) cream of shrimp soup

One-fourth teaspoon onion salt

One-half teaspoon dry mustard

Three tablespoons sherry wine

One-half teaspoon dried dill weed

Drain and flake salmon, reserving liquid. Combine salmon liquid with remaining ingredients. Heat over low heat, stirring occasionally, until smooth.

Add salmon and heat through. Makes about three cups. Serve hot with vegetable dippers or chips.

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One pound pork sausage

Three-fourths cup quick or old fashioned oats, uncooked

One egg, beaten

Two tablespoons firmly packed brown sugar

Pat excess moisture from chopped sauerkraut with absorbent paper. Combine all ingredients; mix well. Shape to form one-inch balls. Bake in ungreased shallow baking pan in preheated moderate oven (375 degrees) 20 to 25 minutes. Serve warm. Makes about three dozen balls.

STUFFED MUSHROOMS

Three to four dozen large mushrooms

One can (twelve-ounce) luncheon meat, cubed

One-half cup enriched corn meal

One-half teaspoon dry mus-



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SALMON CHEESE PATE

GET TOGETHER PUNCH

One can (46 ounces) red fruit punch, chilled

Two-thirds cup unsweetened pineapple juice

One can (six ounces) frozen lemonade concentrate, undiluted

One-fourth cup lime juice

One can or bottle (twelve ounces) club soda, chilled

Ice cubes

Lime slices

In large punch bowl, combine punch, pineapple juice, lemonade concentrate and lime juice; mix well. Just before serving, add club soda and ice cubes. Garnish with lime slices. Ladle into glasses.

Makes about two and one-fourth quarts or enough for about eighteen four-ounce servings.

Spirited Version: Add one to one and one-half cups light rum. Makes about twenty four-ounce servings.

CRUNCHY LIVER SAUSAGE SLICES

Three-fourths cup quick or old fashioned oats, uncooked

Three tablespoons sesame seed

Two tablespoons butter, melted

One-fourth teaspoon paprika

One-fourth teaspoon garlic powder

One pound liver sausage

Eight sweet pickle spears

One tablespoon prepared mustard

Combine oats, sesame seed, butter, paprika and garlic powder. Sprinkle mixture into shallow baking pan; bake in moderate oven (350 degrees) 12 to 15 minutes or until lightly browned.

Divide liver sausage into eight equal portions. Mold one portion of liver sausage around each pickle spear to form cylinders; roll in oat mixture to coat; chill.

Cut cylinders crosswise into one-half-inch slices before serving. Makes about three dozen appetizers.

Here's a bright red and green punch to end the Bicentennial year with a flourish. It's easy to mix and has a tangy, refreshing flavor enjoyed by all ages.

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Whether you're celebrating a Bicentennial Christmas or a spirited New Year, this special punch will liven up the festivities.

COCKTAIL SURPRISES

One ten-ounce package pie crust mix

One cup (four ounces) shredded sharp Cheddar cheese

Dash of cayenne or dry mustard

One-fourth cup cold water

Pecan halves

Stuffed green olives

Pitted dates

Pitted prunes

Frankfurters, sliced one-half inch thick

Smoked pork sausage links, sliced one-half inch thick

Cooked ham, cut into one-half inch cubes

Combine mix, cheese, cayenne and water; mix until well blended. Shape into balls.

Roll each ball in pecan halves, stuffed green olives, pitted dates, pitted prunes, frankfurters, sliced one-half inch thick, smoked pork sausage links, sliced one-half inch thick, cooked ham, cut into one-half inch cubes.

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One package (eight ounces)

refrigerated crescent rolls

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STUFFED MUSHROOMS

Three to four dozen large mushrooms

One can (twelve-ounce) luncheon meat, cubed

One-half cup enriched corn meal

One-half teaspoon dry mustard

Remove stems from mushrooms; finely chop enough stems to equal three-fourths cup. Place luncheon meat in mixing bowl; beat at medium speed on electric mixer until mashed.

In a saucepan, combine corn meal, mustard, salt, pepper and water. Bring to a boil; cook over medium heat until thickened, stirring occasionally, about two to three minutes. Add corn meal mixture, chopped mushrooms and chives to meat mixture; mix well.

Fill mushrooms with meat mixture. Place in ungreased fifteen and one-half by ten and one-half-inch jelly roll pan; bake in preheated hot oven (400 degrees) 12 to 15 minutes. Serve warm. Makes three to four dozen stuffed mushrooms.

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Eight sweet pickle spears

One tablespoon prepared mustard

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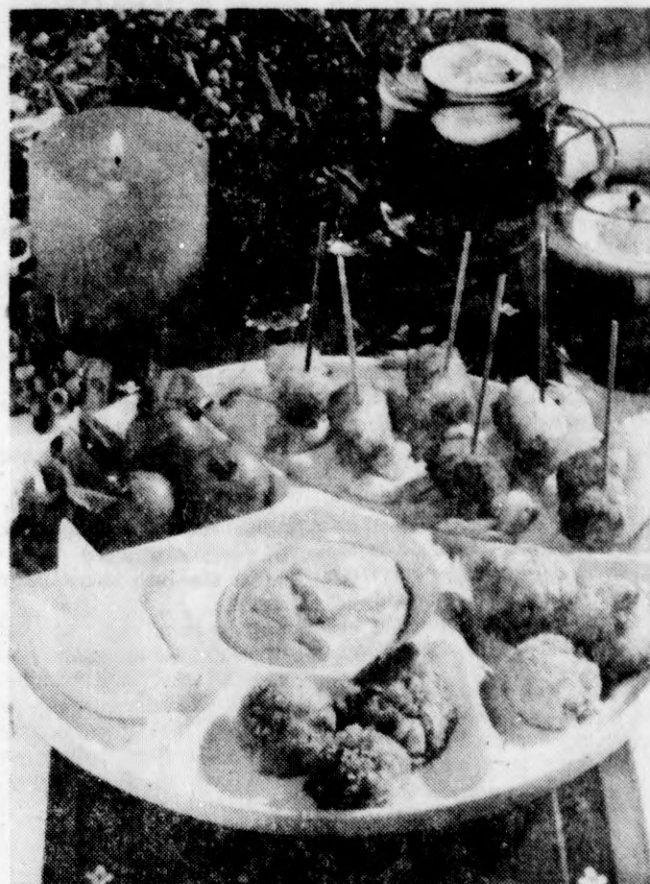
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One can (46 ounces) red fruit punch, chilled

Two-thirds cup unsweetened pineapple juice

One can (six ounces) frozen lemonade concentrate, undiluted

One-fourth cup lime juice

One can or bottle (twelve ounces) club soda, chilled

Ice cubes

Lime slices

In large punch bowl, combine punch, pineapple juice, lemonade concentrate and lime juice; mix well. Just before serving, add club soda and ice cubes. Garnish with lime slices. Ladle into glasses.

Makes about two and one-fourth quarts or enough for about eighteen four-ounce servings.

Spirited Version: Add one to one and one-half cups light rum. Makes about twenty four-ounce servings.

COCKTAIL SURPRISES

One ten-ounce package pie crust mix

One cup (four ounces) shredded sharp Cheddar cheese

Dash of cayenne or dry mustard

One-fourth cup cold water

Pecan halves

Stuffed green olives

Pitted dates

Pitted prunes

Frankfurters, sliced one-half inch thick

Smoked pork sausage links, sliced one-half inch thick

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Bake on ungreased cookie sheet in preheated hot oven (400 degrees) fifteen to eighteen minutes or until golden brown. Serve warm. Makes about three and one-half dozen appetizers.

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ANN LANDERS

your name. — Big Handicap

Dear Handi: Here's your letter and I'll never tell where it came from — so help me, Bobby Jones — and if that doesn't date me, nothing will!

Tell 'em

Dear Ann: It seems to me, in view of the muggings and rapes that go on inside and outside of apartment buildings these days,

women should be told to stop trekking to the basement laundry rooms in their nightgowns.

I work in a fairly respectable high-rise and almost every time I get on the service elevator some broad-beamed dolly is in there wearing a sheer, above-the-knee negligee (not a cotton house coat), totting her laundry basket.

Sometimes I think these women are looking for trouble. What do you think? — Yonkers

Dear Yonk: Could be. In any event, be a good neighbor and tell them what you told me. Some of those dollies may just be stupid.

Are you, or is someone you care about messing around with drugs — or considering it? Are all drugs bad? What about pot — in moderation? Ann Landers' new booklet, "Straight Dupe on Drugs," separates the facts from the fiction. For each booklet ordered, send a dollar bill, plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope (24 cents postage) to Ann Landers, P.O. Box 1400, Elgin, Ill. 60120.

Holiday Eggnog Pastry

Fruit Cocktail Eggnog Pie is easy and a favorite seasonal dessert for adults. For the kids delicious Holiday Cakelets will be a tremendous hit.

FRUIT COCKTAIL EGGNOG PIE

- One envelope unflavored gelatin
 - One-fourth cup sugar
 - One-fourth teaspoon salt
 - Two cups eggnog
 - One-half cup whipping cream, whipped
 - One and one-half teaspoon vanilla
 - One-fourth teaspoon nutmeg
 - One can (seventeen-ounce) fruit cocktail, drained
 - One nine-inch baked pastry shell
- Mix gelatin, sugar and salt. Gradually stir in eggnog. Cook over low heat until gelatin is dissolved. Chill until mixture mounds. Fold in whipped cream, vanilla, nutmeg and fruit cocktail. Pour into pie shell. Chill four hours.

HOLIDAY CAKELETS

- One can (seventeen-ounce) fruit cocktail
 - Two cups sifted flour
 - One cup sugar
 - Two teaspoons baking soda
 - One teaspoon salt
 - Two eggs, beaten
 - One cup sipped pitted dates
 - One-half cup chopped walnuts
- Topping (recipe below)
- Drain fruit cocktail, reserving syrup. Sift together flour, sugar, baking soda and salt. Stir in reserved syrup. Add eggs, fruit and dates; mix well.
- Line muffin pans with paper bake cups; fill three-fourths full. Sprinkle nuts over tops. Bake at 300 degrees, 40 to 45 minutes. Remove from oven; prick tops with fork. Pour topping over surface of cupcakes.

- Topping:
- One-fourth cup sugar
 - One can (five and one-third-ounce) evaporated milk
 - One-fourth cup margarine or butter
 - One and one-half teaspoon vanilla extract
- Combine ingredients in saucepan. Bring to boil; cook two minutes. Remove from heat; set aside until cake is baked (stir mixture occasionally).

Serve Apples As Appetizers

Apple wedges make refreshing appetizers for holiday parties. Core Red or Golden Delicious apples and cut into wedges.

Serve with Chili - Cheese Spread: Combine one package (three ounces) softened cream cheese and eight ounces shredded process American cheese. Blend in two tablespoons milk, one-fourth teaspoon garlic powder and a dash of cayenne. Beat until light and fluffy. Stir in two tablespoons chopped canned chilies and one tablespoon chopped pimiento. Chill to allow flavors to blend. Makes about one and one-half cups spread.

Erma Bombeck

Chafing Dish Of Calories



Fat friends aren't born. They're built and molded out of gentle lumps of submissiveness by a group I call the Devil's Classmates.

The Devil's prey upon the weak, spread ugly rumors about cottage cheese and have never known a fat Monday in their lives. They pretend to be your friend, but refuse a dessert at their house and you'll never be asked back. During the holiday season, they come out of the woodwork.

At Thanksgiving, I casually mentioned I was on a diet. The Devil's Classmates hit me with all the ammunition they had.

First, Wanda, who is built like a piece of lint, stood over me and blubbered, "Have another gravy sandwich . . . or I'll have to throw it out." (The guilt approach.)

Then Fern whispered in my ear, "You mean you're not going to try my sugar-layered torte that I slaved over all morning?" (The rejection number.)

Finally my mother, who "made me a plate" in the evening that would have fed California for a year, warned, "Eat something or you're going to be

sick." (The scare-them-to-death routine.)

They've been at work ever since. Marj's little boy — the one with the broken leg who is hobbling around on a crutch — appeared at my door selling Christmas peanut brittle.

My sister-in-law sent her annual fruitcake with the cryptic message, "If you don't want it, give it to a good person."

My best friend plied me with chip dip and coaxed, "You can get too thin, you know — especially at your age."

And even my kids look at me plaintively and whimper, "Mom, can you eat the rest of my fudge cake?"

Lucky for me I'm on to all their tricks, including the soothsayer who swears that carrots cause blindness and skim milk gives you bad skin.

Last night at a party everyone was gathered around a chafing dish of calories when a man next to me handed me a potato chip and said, "There isn't a woman on canvas in the Louvre Museum under 155 pounds."

I knew he was a Devil's Classmate . . . but what the heck, I'm only human.

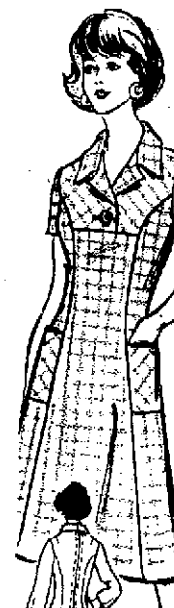
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TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Although you may achieve them, goals not in accordance with your highest ideals will prove hollow victories today. Set lofty standards.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You may suffer some disappointment regarding your original plans today, but the alternative will prove best in the long run.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Your shopping logic today is governed by the thought that a gift must be expensive to be appreciated. This could lead to some hefty bills.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) There is a strong possibility that you will prejudice the good intentions of an associate wrongly today and cause an embarrassing situation.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) While the means are at hand it would be wise to clear up old debts. They can't be rationalized away too much longer.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Usually you're a sociable, outgoing person but today you're likely to be a bit slow in warming up to others. However, you do let your hair down later.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) If you're entertaining at home today, limit it to guests whose company you truly enjoy. Inviting someone out of obligation may spoil the fun.

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some heavy expenses, but funds may come from unusual sources.

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nore will bend over backward to help you.

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This year, you'll develop relationships with persons both intellectual and farseeing. The associations will be inspirational and beneficial.

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By Oswald & James Jacoby

There are lots of ways to bid today's hand. Each player has some reason to get into the bidding act.

West would wrap up his five-club contract, but you can't blame South for doubling. He had heard his partner bid twice. North realized this and ran to five hearts which East doubled. East rather expected to score

at least one diamond trick, but he had failed to allow for the possibility that his partner would be void of that suit.

The defense started with two rounds of clubs. South ruffed in dummy and promptly lost the trump finesse to West's king. West led a trump hack and South was ready to tackle spades.

He cashed his ace of spade and promptly finessed dummy's 10. East showed out and now South was able to discard all his diamonds on the four good spades and bring home his doubled contract.

The play looks sensational, but actually it is based on simple counting. East is marked with seven diamonds. He has showed two hearts and would not have raised clubs without three so he was left with just one spade.

Ask the Jacobys

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your name. — Big Handicap

Dear Handi: Here's your letter and I'll never tell where it came from — so help me, Bobby Jones — and if that that doesn't date me, nothing will!

Tell 'em

Dear Ann: It seems to me, in view of the muggings and rapes that go on inside and outside of apartment buildings these days,

women should be told to stop trekking to the basement laundry rooms in their nightgowns.

I work in a fairly respectable high-rise and almost every time I get on the service elevator some broad-beamed dolly is in there wearing a sheer, above-the-knee negligee (not a cotton house coat), toting her laundry basket.

Sometimes I think these women are looking for trouble. What do you think? — Yonkers

Dear Yonk: Could be. In any event, be a good neighbor and tell them what you told me. Some of those dollies may just be stupid.

Are you, or is someone you care about messing around with drugs — or considering it? Are all drugs bad? What about pot — in moderation? Ann Landers' new booklet, "Straight Dope on Drugs," separates the facts from the fiction. For each booklet ordered, send a dollar bill, plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope (24 cents postage) to Ann Landers, P.O. Box 1400, Elgin, Ill. 60120.

Holiday Eggnog Pastry

Fruit Cocktail Eggnog Pie is easy and a favorite seasonal dessert for adults. For the kids delicious Holiday Cakelets will be a tremendous hit.

FRUIT COCKTAIL EGGNOG PIE

One envelope unflavored gelatin
One-fourth cup sugar
One-fourth teaspoon salt
Two cups eggnog
One-half cup whipping cream, whipped
One and one-half teaspoon vanilla
One-fourth teaspoon nutmeg
One can (seventeen-ounce) fruit cocktail, drained
One nine-inch baked pastry shell

Mix gelatin, sugar and salt. Gradually stir in eggnog. Cook over low heat until gelatin is dissolved. Chill until mixture mounds. Fold in whipped cream, vanilla, nutmeg and fruit cocktail. Pour into pie shell. Chill four hours.

HOLIDAY CAKELETS

One can (seventeen-ounce) fruit cocktail
Two cups sifted flour
One cup sugar
Two teaspoons baking soda
One teaspoon salt
Two eggs, beaten
One cup snipped pitted dates
One-half cup chopped walnuts
Topping (recipe below)

Drain fruit cocktail, reserving syrup. Sift together flour, sugar, baking soda and salt. Stir in reserved syrup. Add eggs, fruit and dates; mix well.

Line muffin pans with paper bake cups; fill three-fourths full. Sprinkle nuts over tops. Bake at 300 degrees, 40 to 45 minutes. Remove from oven; prick tops with fork. Pour topping over surface of cupcakes.

Topping:

One-fourth cup sugar
One can (five and one-third-ounce) evaporated milk
One-fourth cup margarine or butter
One and one-half teaspoon vanilla extract

Combine ingredients in saucepan. Bring to boil; cook two minutes. Remove from heat; set aside until cake is baked (stir mixture occasionally).

Serve Apples As Appetizers

Apple wedges make refreshing appetizers for holiday parties. Core Red or Golden Delicious apples and cut into wedges.

Serve with Chili - Cheese Spread: Combine one package (three ounces) softened cream cheese and eight ounces shredded process American cheese. Blend in two tablespoons milk, one-fourth teaspoon garlic powder and a dash of cayenne. Beat until light and fluffy. Stir in two tablespoons chopped canned chilies and one tablespoon chopped pimiento. Chill to allow flavors to blend. Makes about one and one-half cups spread.

Erma Bombeck

Chafing Dish Of Calories



Fat friends aren't born. They're built and molded out of gentle lumps of submissiveness by a group I call the Devil's Classmates.

The DC's prey on the weak, spread ugly rumors about cottage cheese and have never known a fat Monday in their lives. They pretend to be your friend, but refuse a dessert at their house and you'll never be asked back. During the holiday season, they come out of the woodwork.

At Thanksgiving, I casually mentioned I was on a diet. The Devil's Classmates hit me with all the ammunition they had.

First, Wanda, who is built like a piece of lint, stood over me and blubbered, "Have another gravy sandwich . . . or I'll have to throw it out." (The guilt approach.)

Then Fern whispered in my ear, "You mean you're not going to try my sugar-layered torte that I slaved over all morning?" (The rejection number.)

Finally my mother, who "made me a plate" in the evening that would have fed California for a year, warned, "Eat something or you're going to be sick." (The scare-them-to-death routine.)

They've been at work ever since. Mari's little boy — the one with the broken leg who is hobbling around on a crutch — appeared at my door selling Christmas peanut brittle.

My sister-in-law sent her annual fruitcake with the cryptic message, "If you don't want it, give it to a good person."

My best friend plied me with chip dip and coaxed, "You can get too thin, you know — especially at your age."

And even my kids look at me plaintively and whimper, "Mom, can you eat the rest of my fudge cake?"

Lucky for me I'm on to all their tricks, including the soothsayer who swears that carrots cause blindness and skim milk gives you bad skin.

Last night at a party everyone was gathered around a chafing dish of calories when a man next to me handed me a potato chip and said, "There isn't a woman on canvas in the Louvre Museum under 155 pounds."

I knew he was a Devil's Classmate . . . but what the heck, I'm only human.

Dr. Lester Coleman



I recently had a silicone implant in my chin. The plastic surgeon that performed the operation assured me that it was 100 per cent safe. I read the other day that silicone injections are dangerous. Now I am worried, puzzled and stuck with it. — Mrs. P.L., Maine

Dear Mrs. L.: The use of a solution of silicone for injection into the breasts to make them larger has been discontinued.

It is now used only when in a protective plastic gel that prevents foreign body reactions in the soft tissue.

Undoubtedly, the plastic implant in your chin is of the safe type. This will cause no foreign body reaction. You may be assured that your plastic surgeon would not have used this type of implant if there were any possibility that it would be harmful to you.

I'm 26 and have had repeated attacks of throat infection. My tonsils and the glands in the neck become swollen. Otherwise my health is normal. Can you tell me if these infections can permanently harm me? — Mrs. S.L., B.C.

Dear Mrs. L.: Repeated infections of the tonsils associated with swollen glands of the neck are not life-threatening infections. Nevertheless, attention should be paid to the possibility of removing the tonsils in an effort to reduce the frequency, the severity, the duration and the

possible complications of these infections.

At 26 there is no danger in the operation. The recovery period is rapid and uncomplicated.

After consultation with your doctor, the advice of a throat specialist should be sought. It is best for him to see you when you are both free of infection and when you are having an attack. In this way, he can best evaluate the need for surgery.

SPEAKING OF YOUR HEALTH... An ordinary toaster can become a lethal weapon if children prod the bread with a metal fork while the current is on. Teach the children not to probe any electrical appliances or outlets with any objects.

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Astro-Graph

Bernice Bede Osol

For Thursday, Dec. 23, 1976

ARIES (March 2-April 19) Be sure to include old friends as well as new in any social activities you're planning, so nobody's feelings will be hurt.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Although you may achieve them, goals not in accordance with your highest ideals will prove hollow victories today. Set lofty standards.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You may suffer some disappointment regarding your original plans today, but the alternative will prove best in the long run.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Your shopping logic today is governed by the thought that a gift must be expensive to be appreciated. This could lead to some hefty bills.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) There is a strong possibility that you will prejudice the good intentions of an associate wrongly today and cause an embarrassing situation.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) While the means are at hand it would be wise to clear up old debts. They can't be rationalized away too much longer.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Usually you're a sociable, outgoing person but today you're likely to be a bit slow in warming up to others. However, you do let your hair down later.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) If you're entertaining at home today, limit it to guests whose company you truly enjoy. Inviting someone out of obligation may spoil the fun.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) You may have to deal with someone today who is a trifle cantankerous. This person can be won over by not responding in kind.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Financial conditions are a mixed bag today. You have

some heavy expenses, but funds may come from unusual sources.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) If you have an important decision to make today, balance your opinion against others whose judgment you respect.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Strangely enough, one you do the most for today will do the least for you, while one you ignore will bend over backward to help you.

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This year, you'll develop relationships with persons both intellectual and farseeing. The associations will be inspirational and beneficial.

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By Oswald & James Jacoby

There are lots of ways to bid today's hand. Each player has some reason to get into the bidding act.

West would wrap up his five-club contract, but you can't blame South for doubling. He had heard his partner bid twice. North realized this and ran to five hearts which East doubled. East rather expected to score

at least one diamond trick, but he had failed to allow for the possibility that his partner would be void of that suit.

The defense started with two rounds of clubs. South ruffed in dummy and promptly lost the trump finesse to West's king. West led a trump back and South was ready to tackle spades.

He cashed his ace of spade and promptly finessed dummy's 10. East showed out and now South was able to discard all his diamonds on the four good spades and bring home his doubled contract.

The play looks sensational, but actually it is based on simple counting. East is marked with seven diamonds. He has showed two hearts and would not have raised clubs without three so he was left with just one spade.

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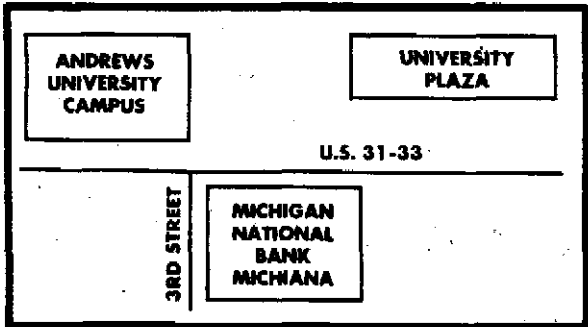
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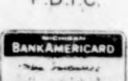
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New Area Division Manager Named By General Telephone

THREE RIVERS — Lester Moench, of Three Rivers, has been named southwestern division manager for General Telephone Co., according to Ronald Kinsman, southern area general manager for the company. The appointment is effective Jan. 1.

Moench will succeed John VerBeek, of South Haven, who was named service manager - office, at South Haven.

As division manager, Moench will have overall responsibility for telephone service in 104 communities in southwestern Michigan. The division includes about 125,000 telephones in Allegan, Branch, Calhoun, Cass, Hillsdale, Kalamazoo, St. Joseph and Van Buren counties. Headquarters for the division is at Three Rivers.

An 18-year veteran with General Telephone, Moench was hired as a traffic engineer for General Telephone of Ohio in 1958. He held a number of supervisory positions there before being transferred to Michigan as general traffic supervisor in 1966. He subsequently became division traffic manager at Muskegon and then area traffic manager at Three Rivers. He was named area operations manager, his present position, earlier this year.

VerBeek's new responsibilities will include supervision of service office activities at Allegan and Dowagiac in addition to South Haven. The three service offices serve 57 communities.

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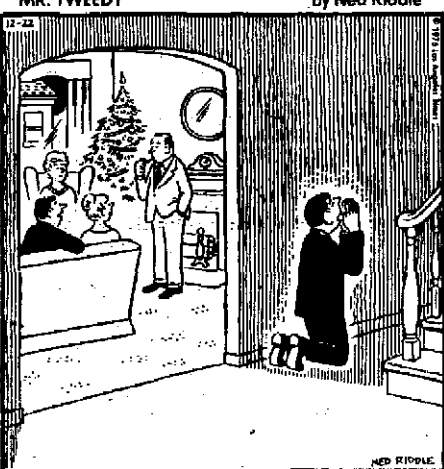
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Egypt, Syria Cozy Again

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The late Gamal Abdel Nasser organized the first Egyptian-Syrian union in 1958 and called it the United Arab Republic. The Syrians pulled out three years later because they were fed up with Nasser's domination. A 1972 agreement to join Egypt, Syria and Libya into a Federation of Arab Republics was never implemented.

A political declaration after Assad flew back to Damascus Tuesday announced the formation of a supreme political leadership made up of the two presidents and aides to be named later.

No target date was announced for completion of the merger. Fahmy said joint committees will be formed soon for foreign affairs, defense, constitutional questions, economics and other areas, and these committees will decide the form of the union.

Egypt and Syria coordinated their attack on Israel in 1973 and fought the war together but split over their responses to Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger's peacemaking efforts. Assad broke with Sadat 15 months ago because he signed the second Sinai agreement with Israel without making it conditional on an Israeli withdrawal from the Golan Heights front with Syria. King Khaled of Saudi Arabia brought them together at the Riyadh summit conference in October which authorized the Syrian army to occupy Lebanon under the guise of a peacekeeping force.

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New Area Division Manager Named By General Telephone

THREE RIVERS — Lester Moench, of Three Rivers, has been named southwestern division manager for General Telephone Co., according to Ronald Kinsman, southern area general manager for the company. The appointment is effective Jan. 1.

Moench will succeed John

VerBeek, of South Haven, who was named service manager - office, at South Haven.

As division manager, Moench will have overall responsibility for telephone service in 104 communities in southwestern Michigan. The division includes about 125,000 telephones in Allegan, Branch, Calhoun, Cass,

Hillsdale, Kalamazoo, St. Joseph and Van Buren counties. Headquarters for the division is at Three Rivers.

An 18-year veteran with General Telephone, Moench was hired as a traffic engineer for General Telephone of Ohio in 1958. He held a number of supervisory positions there before being transferred to Michigan as general traffic supervisor in 1966. He subsequently became division traffic manager at Muskegon and then area traffic manager at Three Rivers. He was named area operations manager, his present position, earlier this year.

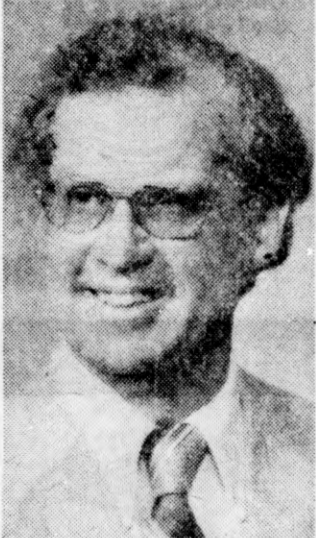
VerBeek's new responsibilities will include supervision of service office activities at Allegan and Dowagiac in addition to South Haven. The three service offices serve 57 communities.

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LESTER MOENCH
New division manager



JOHN VERBEEK
Assumes new duties



MR. TWEEDEY by Ned Riddle

"YOUR NEIGHBOR DISAPPEARED WHEN YOU AND MARGE STARTED TRYING TO DECIDE WHETHER TO GET YOUR SON A HARP OR A SET OF DRUMS."

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By Bert Bacharach

REMEMBERED Quotation: "Many a man has fallen in love with a girl in a light so dim he would not have chosen a suit in it." (Maurice Chevalier, '50) . . . If you're keeping up with the Joneses, be apprised that Christopher Jones will co-star in Jimmy Nederlander's "Otherwise Engaged." . . . We have intensified our knowledge of foreign food preferences. We just learned that an "Australian Sunrise" is steak and eggs . . . Bobby Vinton says maybe it's silly to rob Peter to pay Paul — but every Tom, Dick and Harry is doing it! . . . It's Dixieland Jazz at Maude's, NYC, every Wednesday night, with Stan Rubin and his Tigertown Five . . . Sandwich Favorite of Vikki Carr: Diced ham mixed with chopped celery and mayonnaise . . . Hope for Today: Let's all hope that Jimmy Carter can serve the whole nation a big bowl of harmony grits!

SMATTERING OF SIGNS: Uranus is the planet of eccentricity; hence if we find our Aquarian friends a bit out of line, or "off-beat," blame it on their planets. The Gemini person should learn to resist the urge to be constantly changing things — such as jobs, locations and even spouses! Impatience is an unfortunate characteristic of many born under Aries.

KITCHEN-SNOOPING: Put vinegar in the water when cooking shrimp to eliminate the strong odor (Joe's Pier 52, NYC) . . . Add croutons as a taste addition the next time you have creamed spinach (Doros, S.F.) . . . Greek potato salad is

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Egyptian Foreign Minister Ismail Fahmy announced Tuesday that President Anwar Sadat of Egypt and Syrian President Hafez Assad agreed in talks here Sunday and Monday to make another attempt at a political union of Israel's two chief adversaries.

The late Gamal Abdel Nasser organized the first Egyptian-

Syrian union in 1958 and called it the United Arab Republic. The Syrians pulled out three years later because they were fed up with Nasser's domination. A 1972 agreement to join Egypt, Syria and Libya into a Federation of Arab Republics was never implemented.

A political declaration after Assad flew back to Damascus Tuesday announced the formation of a supreme political leadership made up of the two presidents and aides to be

named later.

No target date was announced for completion of the merger. Fahmy said joint committees will be formed soon for foreign affairs, defense, constitutional questions, economics and other areas, and these committees will decide the form of the union.

Egypt and Syria coordinated their attack on Israel in 1973 and fought the war together but split over their responses to Secre-

tary of State Henry A. Kissinger's peacemaking efforts.

Assad broke with Sadat 15 months ago because he signed the second Sinai agreement with Israel without making it conditional on an Israeli withdrawal from the Golan Heights front with Syria. King Khaled of Saudi Arabia brought them together at the Riyadh summit conference in October which authorized the Syrian army to occupy Lebanon under the guise of a peacekeeping force.

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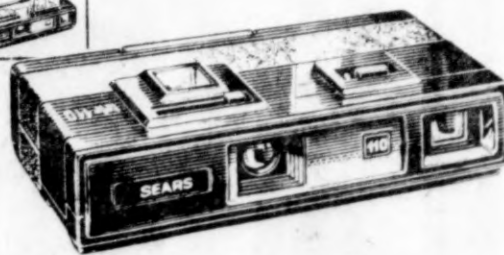


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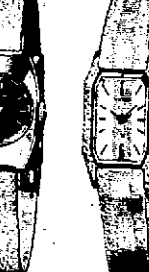
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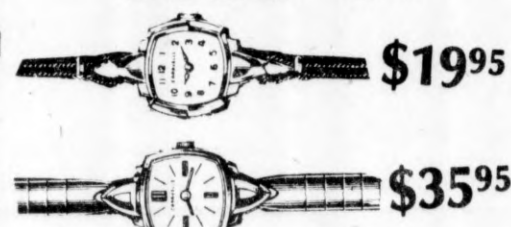
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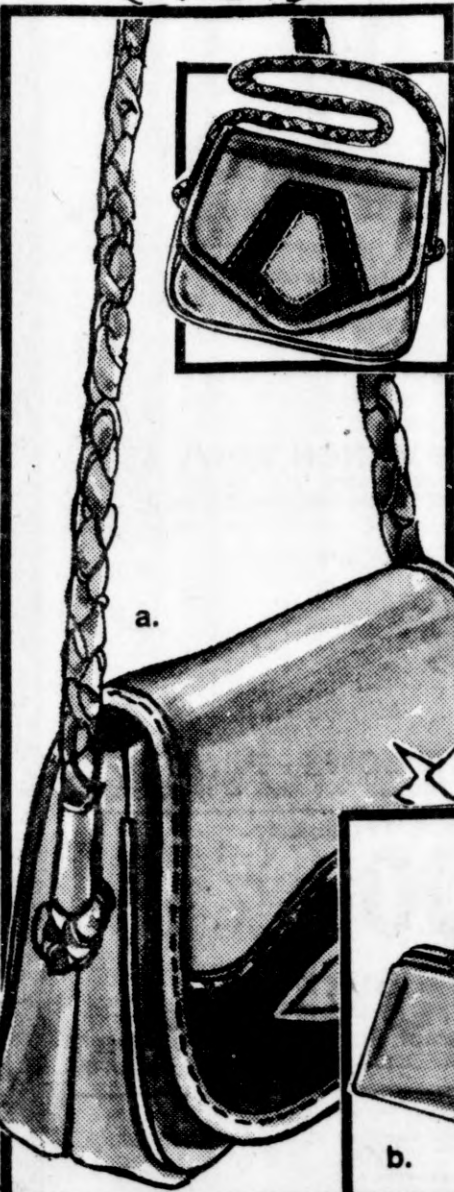
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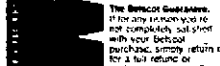
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The Boston reception appears to be part of a nationwide campaign, organized by the same friendly Democrats who gave us George McGovern in 1972, to drum up support and money for Sadowski. There is nothing inherently wrong with this — winning a secret ballot election in the USW's 1.3 million constituency is obviously an expensive proposition. But what intrigues me is the nature of Sadowski's support and the rhetoric it employs.

The real question is: Why has he been adopted by the chic liberals? A clue to the answer is found in an invitation to a big New York City reception that took place on Dec. 14. Signed by Victor Reuther, a longtime bureaucrat in his brother Walter's United Auto Workers, Joseph Rauh, a Washington lawyer and padrone of Americans for Democratic Action, and the ubiquitous Galbraith, the letter informs us that what is at stake in the USW is no less than the future of progressive trade unionism!

From this long and tendentious document we learn that Sadowski "is in the forefront of a movement that is sweeping the steelworkers and many other unions — a movement to turn the American labor movement around and make it into the democratic, progressive political and economic force its founders intended it to be."

At this point the pieces fall in place: the elitist liberals have been trying for decades to wedge their way into the ranks of organized labor and liberate the American working class from its "false consciousness." The talk about union democracy is a charade.



GRADUATES: Deborah Forest, a 1974 graduate of Benton Harbor high school, has graduated from Detroit Institute of Commerce with a major in court reporting. She is the daughter of Mrs. Ernestine Wysinger, 348 Washington street, Benton Harbor.

Eau Claire High Polls Graduates

EAU CLAIRE — Eau Claire high school officials are taking a survey of 1976 graduates in an attempt to learn how well high school programs helped prepare graduates for the working world.

The school mailed out three-page questionnaires last week to graduates. School officials said they hope questionnaires are returned as soon as possible.

Results of the survey will be used for state and federal reporting requirements and will help school officials measure the effectiveness of school programs.

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LANSING, Mich. (AP) — Out-of-state breweries and container manufacturers funded more than \$4 per cent of the unsuccessful campaign to defeat Michigan's bottle bill last month. Reports on file with the Secretary of State's office show the Committee Against Forced Deposits (CAFD) raised a total of \$1,316,939 in its effort to stop Proposal A. The proposal passed, however, and will ban nonreturnable beverage containers from Michigan sale starting in 1978. The largest single contributor to the CAFD campaign was the Can Manufacturers Institute of Washington, D.C., which gave \$188,875. Other major non-Michigan contributors were the Pepsi-Cola Co. of Purchase, N.Y. (\$85,250) and Anheuser-Busch Inc. of St. Louis (\$81,000). Of the \$295,534 raised in Michigan, \$94,500 came from the Michigan Soft Drink Assn., and Detroit's Stroh Brewery Co. gave \$42,150, according to post-election campaign records. The Help Abolish Throwaways Committee, the major proponent of the bottle bill, reported raising and spending a total of \$117,175.

Shorter Means Richer

DETROIT (AP) — A woman who was rejected for a job with the Pontiac Police Department because she was half an inch too short has been awarded \$5,500 by a federal court. Federal Judge John Feikens ordered the police department to give Marilyn Horace back pay plus legal fees. Mrs. Horace, 27, is a former Pontiac police dispatcher now employed as a detective in Ypsilanti. The Pontiac department's old minimum height requirement — 5 feet 8 inches — discriminated against women, the judge said. He said the height requirement could not be defined as a legitimate necessity for the job. The height requirement has been replaced with a strength-agility test, according to Pontiac police officials. Mrs. Horace was working as a dispatcher when she applied for a patrol job. When her application was rejected last year, she filed suit. She is 5 feet 7 1/2 inches tall and 15 pounds lighter than the old 142-pound minimum weight requirement.

No Stand Until Spring

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — It will be at least spring before a state environmental panel takes a stand on whether Gov. William Milliken should veto Project Seafarer. The Michigan Environmental Review Board said in letters this week to Gov. Milliken and the Navy that it wants to see all evidence on the Upper Peninsula project before making recommendations. A final report from the National Academy of Sciences on possible human health hazards of the underground communications grid will not be issued until April. Both the NAS report and an environmental impact statement from the Navy, which wants to build the project, were to be in board members' hands by Jan. 12. But NAS could not meet that deadline, said Terry Yonker, MERB secretary. The Navy has assured Milliken he will have veto power over the controversial underground communications grid.

McLaughlin Challenge Eyed

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — Lame-duck state Rep. F. Robert Edwards of Flint says he's thinking of challenging William McLaughlin as state Republican chairman. "The party is lifeless. There is a lot of dissatisfaction," Edwards said. "We're not winning anything." Edwards, who lost his House seat to Flint builder Joseph Conroy, said Tuesday he met with Gov. William Milliken to discuss the future of the party. Milliken strongly supports McLaughlin's bid for re-election at the party convention in February. Edwards said he wants to broaden the party to include more minorities and working-class people. He is expected to attract support of GOP conservatives. He is more moderate, however, than many of McLaughlin's critics. Edwards emphasized that if he launches a challenge, it would not be based on philosophy — it would be one of more effective organization and campaigning.

Crime Down In Detroit

DETROIT (AP) — The number of violent crimes reported in Detroit in October fell from October 1975. Mayor Coleman Young has reported. But the Motor City still had the highest per capita violent crime rate of any large American city. Young said 19 per cent fewer serious crimes — murder, rape, robbery, assault, burglary and theft — were reported to Detroit police in October 1976 than in October 1975. Nationwide, serious crime rose 2 per cent during the first nine months of this year over the same period of 1975, the Justice Department said. Atty. Gen. Edward Levi said the figures represent the lowest hike nationally since 1973. Young attributed Detroit's declining October rate to the cullback of laid-off police officers.

Surrender Ends Hijack Attempt

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — A disgruntled airline mechanic surrendered today after taking two persons hostage and commandeering a DC-8 jetliner almost 15 hours before, authorities said.

Palm J. Hinnant, 37, was quietly removed from the plane shortly after 6:30 a.m., bringing to an end the tense drama that began Tuesday afternoon.

One of the hostages, Richard Funk, was rushed to Peninsula Hospital. The 38-year-old United Airlines shop manager earlier told authorities over the airplane radio that Hinnant had slashed him several times after forcing the two hostages to board the empty airliner.

The other hostage, United Airlines mechanic Jerry Dusenberry, 42, was released unharmed by Hinnant about an hour earlier after two of the hijacker's friends boarded the aircraft.

"Everybody's coming off and we got the gun," Lincoln Jones, one of Hinnant's friends, told authorities shortly before the

disturbed hijacker surrendered. Hinnant was taken into custody by Charles Bates, FBI agent in charge. Jones and his other friend, Clarence Hamlet, also left the plane and police swarmed aboard to check it.

"Where will we be going from here?" Hinnant asked authorities as he left the plane. "I'll be going to jail, right?"

Published reports said Hinnant had been informed Tuesday before the hijacking began that his paid sick leave with United had run out.

Shortly before he had released Dusenberry, Hinnant declared: "It's too late for me now. I'm just trying to get away from what's bugging me."

Authorities had unsuccessfully tried to persuade him to surrender, but Hinnant, armed with a .45-caliber automatic handgun, had continued to issue demands over the craft's radio and to intimidate his captives. His key demand was for another jet and a flight crew to pilot it to an unknown destination somewhere eastward.

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The environmental research agency said its record of the Argo Merchant's troubles goes back only to 1964.

One of its worst difficulties was in 1967, when the ship required nearly two thirds of a year for a trip from Singapore to the United States West Coast because of three fires in boilers, an engine breakdown, boiler trouble and electrical problems.

Chrysler Given Truck Contract

WASHINGTON (AP) — The federal government has awarded Chrysler Corp. a \$1.9 million contract for 441 light trucks which will be built in Detroit, it was announced Tuesday.



Pope Seeking Sainthood For Alcoholic Irishman

By EDWARD MAGRI Associated Press Writer

VATICAN CITY (AP) — Pope Paul VI said today he hopes to raise toward sainthood next year an alcoholic Irish laborer who became known as "the saint in overalls" before his death in Dublin in 1925.

The Pope also said at his weekly public audience that the Mafia is one of the "chronic and ingrained" vices of society and said Christmas spirit would help better than prison and police to fight it.

Pope Paul said he hoped the process would soon be completed to allow him to proclaim Matthew Talbot blessed. This is the last step before canonization as a saint of the Roman Catholic Church.

Talbot, who died at 69 in a Dublin street, was a drunkard for 15 years until he underwent a conversion and devoted the rest of his life to his job in a lumberyard and to the Church.

"We hope we can have the beatification of Matthew Talbot next year," Pope Paul said. "He was a poor alcoholic worker of Ireland and thanks to a wonderful grace from the Lord he converted himself, but not always converted himself away from alcohol, so good and so saintly that, as it seems, he has become worthy of being proclaimed blessed."

"Talbot, remember him," the pontiff told a crowd of several thousand persons in the audience hall. "He gives us precisely the hope for this renewal that is among the most significant facts of the virtues of the Gospel."

The case for the beatification of Talbot has been under study at the Vatican's Congregation for the Causes of Saints for 30 years, and, as Pope Paul disclosed, is now nearing its conclusion.

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SEATTLE (AP) — If drama, pomp and circumstance are nussing from your life, Roberta Arnett will help you find them — for \$30 an hour. Ms. Arnett, the founder, president and sole employee of the Cosmis Androgyny Ceremony Design Service, thinks up ceremonies suitable for life's big occasions. Not only will she plan weddings and funerals, Ms. Arnett, who prefers that designation, helps clients commemorate other important changes in their lives — new jobs, puberty and menopause. "What a ceremony really does is gets you free to go on to the next event," says the 35-year-old former social worker. "It helps to define clearly what you are doing. A lot of times, if you don't define that, you can't go on. You get lost in the middle." Ms. Arnett's fascination with ceremonies began when she put together her own wedding a year ago. She also designed a divorce ceremony. "The ceremony centered around the rings, but the disposing of them. It was a wilderness experience for them. They threw the rings in the river. For them it was very symbolic," she said. There were no guests.

Kalamazoo Man Gets 90 Days In Van Buren

By TOM RENNER South Haven Correspondent

SOUTH HAVEN — A Kalamazoo man sought by police since 1970 for failure to appear for sentencing after being convicted on a charge of simple larceny was ordered confined to Van Buren jail for 90 days yesterday in Seventh District court here. Glenn Ford, 24, was apprehended by state police from the South Haven post in a routine LEIN computer check of him during a traffic stop by troopers yesterday.

In other cases, two Bangor brothers, Joseph Riguzzi, 22, and Robert Riguzzi, 21, both of 214 Bangor street, Bangor were bound over to Van Buren circuit court after waiving a preliminary examination on a reduced charge of larceny from a building. The men were arrested Dec. 8 by state police from the South Haven post in connection with a break-in of a Columbia township house.

Dale Blackmon, 21, 410 Edgel street, South Haven was sentenced to 45 days in the county jail after pleading guilty to a reduced charge of simple larceny. Blackmon was arrested by South Haven police Dec. 7 in connection with the theft of a CB radio from a retail store.

David Nevills, 17, route 4, South Haven demanded a preliminary examination on a charge of breaking and entering. Nevills was arrested by state police from South Haven in connection with the Dec. 17 break-in of Burrows Sanitation, Blue Star Memorial Highway.

Three South Haven teenagers were each sentenced to seven days in the county jail, fined \$105 and placed on six months probation on charges of malicious destruction under \$100. Gary Morrison, 18, route 1, South Haven; Allen Voissard, 18, route 1, South Haven; and Gary Perysian, 18, route 5, South Haven were arrested Oct. 17 by state police from South Haven in connection with several incidents in which autos and homes were damaged by thrown rocks.

Cecil Riddle, 23, route 1, Covert was ordered held in lieu of \$30,000 bond after demanding preliminary examinations on charges of breaking and entering, malicious destruction over \$100 to property and aggravated assault.

Riddle was arrested by Covert township police in connection with the Aug. 5 break-in of a Covert residence. Police said the house was extensively damaged by the intruder. The aggravated assault charge goes back to a March, 1976 incident in which a determination was placed on open adjournment pending Riddle's agreement to seek psychiatric help. The exams were set for Dec. 28.

Junior Cheeks, 24 route 1, Covert was sentenced to a total of 190 days in the county jail after being found guilty of charges of eluding Covert township police and being a disorderly person.

Miss Cary was a member of the Church of Christ, Bangor and the Loyal Daughters class. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday in the McKane funeral home, Bangor, where friends may call.

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Two Dads Jailed For Arrearages

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support payment was made in May, 1975.

Marion R. Grzesick, of 1003 Lions Park drive, St. Joseph, was ordered by Byrns to submit to a medical examination to determine if he is able to work, and if found able, will be given 60 days to find work or spend 60 days in jail. Grzesick was cited into court for \$648 arrearages for one child not on ADC.

Robert E. Hulan, of 117 Fulton, Buchanan, was told to find employment in 30 days or spend 18 days in jail for \$1,404 arrearages for one ADC child, and Byrns also warned that if Hulan goes to jail, he is to find work within 90 days of his release or spend 30 more days in jail.

Lynn A. Johnston, of Hartford, was given 30 days by Byrns to complete his job training and begin making payments of \$21 weekly support and \$4 towards an arrearage of \$1,150 for one child not on ADC or be sentenced to an unspecified jail term.

Danny S. Nekvasil, of 604 West John Beers road, Stevensville, was ordered by White to sign a wage assignment of \$42 weekly support and \$6 each week towards an arrearage of \$672 for four children on ADC.

John S. Williams, of 5976 Lincoln avenue, Stevensville was ordered by Byrns to pay \$500 immediately towards an arrearage of \$3,105 for one ADC child, and sign a wage assignment of \$20 weekly support and \$5 weekly on the arrearage.

Rejected

BULLETIN LANSING, Mich. (AP) — The first application to drill for oil in Pigeon River Country State Forest has been rejected by the Department of Natural Resources, Director Howard A. Tanner said today.

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All positions are for two years. Charles Cusumano, village clerk pro-tem, said there will be no primary election.

Thrashing Seas Crimp U.S. Plan

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are driving, it looks like it will continue eastward," said Coast Guard oceanographer Joseph Beaver.

"We have a situation that can't really be controlled by anybody in any sense," Massachusetts Gov. Michael S. Dukakis said of the spill.

The oil near the ship was the consistency of cooked caramel. Further away it slackened to a thin layer, then to a sheen, and finally to what the Coast Guard called "pancakes" on the surface of the sea.

Fishermen and environmentalists fear the oil, after mixing with sand at the wreck, will form globs and sink. Oil on the sea bottom could seriously damage the fishing industry's annual catches of deep feeders like flounder, cod and sole.

Also threatened by the oil were America's last colony of about a dozen gray seals. Nantucket is the migratory home for these timid creatures, and if they were to swim into oil they could suffocate.

Whales could be hurt by the oil, but fishermen and environmentalists say the great sea mammals are not prevalent at this time of year.

Nantucket Police Chief Anthony Hoffer said, "I think most of the community is in a state of shock."

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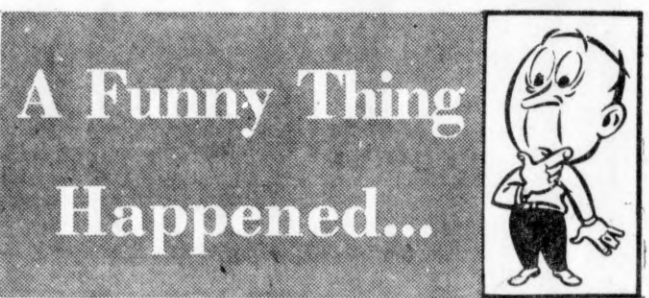
The ship also had at least one other name and three previous owners before being purchased by its present owner, Thebes Shipping Inc. The tanker is operated by Amership Agency of New York.

The environmental research agency said its record of the Argo Merchant's troubles goes back only to 1964.

One of its worst difficulties was in 1967, when the ship required nearly two thirds of a year for a trip from Singapore to the United States West Coast because of three fires in boilers, an engine breakdown, more boiler trouble and electrical problems.

Chrysler Given Truck Contract

WASHINGTON (AP) — The federal government has awarded Chrysler Corp. a \$1.9 million contract for 441 light trucks which will be built in Detroit, it was announced Tuesday.



Chicken-Powered Bus



SPOKANE, Wash. (AP) — Donald Moser makes his living convincing people that they need new sources of energy, so he figured he had to convert his gasoline-powered bus. Now it can run on chicken droppings — about 30 birds to the mile. "I decided to help the country and society to make changes," said Moser, 43, during a recent stop here. "I decided the best way would be to put on a one-man demonstration." But it takes the daily droppings of 600 chickens to produce enough methane gas to send the bus 20 miles, Moser said, and there are only 13 places around the country where farmers have rigged methane digesters — tanks in which wastes like chicken droppings are heated to speed the natural production of the gas. Commercially produced methane is expensive, so sometimes the bus takes gasoline, Moser admitted. Moser quit his job as a race car mechanic in Boston four years ago to buy the bus and take up a nomad's life. Now he and companion Sue Hardy travel the country, giving lectures and selling solar-powered cookers.

Pomp By The Hour

SEATTLE (AP) — If drama, pomp and circumstance are missing from your life, Roberta Arnett will help you find them — for \$30 an hour. Ms. Arnett, the founder, president and sole employee of the Cosmic Androgyny Ceremony Design Service, thinks up ceremonies suitable for life's big occasions. Not only will she plan weddings and funerals, Ms. Arnett, who prefers that designation, helps clients commemorate other important changes in their lives — new jobs, puberty and menopause. "What a ceremony really does is gets you free to go on to the next event," says the 35-year-old former social worker. "It helps to define clearly what you are doing. A lot of times, if you don't define that, you can't go on. You get lost in the middle." Ms. Arnett's fascination with ceremonies began when she put together her own wedding a year ago. She also designed a divorce ceremony. "The ceremony centered around the rings, but the disposing of them. It was a wilderness experience for them. They threw the rings in the river. For them it was very symbolic," she said. There were no guests.

Kalamazoo Man Gets 90 Days In Van Buren

By TOM RENNER

South Haven Correspondent

SOUTH HAVEN — A Kalamazoo man sought by police since 1970 for failure to appear for sentencing after being convicted on a charge of simple larceny was ordered confined to Van Buren jail for 90 days yesterday in Seventh District court here. Glenn Ford, 24, was apprehended by state police from the South Haven post in a routine LEIN computer check of him during a traffic stop by troopers yesterday.

In other cases, two Bangor brothers, Joseph Rigozzi, 22, and Robert Rigozzi, 21, both of 214 Bangor street, Bangor were bound over to Van Buren circuit court after waiving a preliminary examination on a reduced charge of larceny from a building. The men were arrested Dec. 8 by state police from the South Haven post in connection with a break-in of a Columbia township house.

Dale Blackmon, 21, 410 Edgel street, South Haven was sentenced to 45 days in the county jail after pleading guilty to a reduced charge of simple larceny. Blackmon was arrested by South Haven police Dec. 7 in connection with the theft of a CB radio from a retail store.

David Nevills, 17, route 4, South Haven demanded a preliminary examination on a charge of breaking and entering. Nevills was arrested by state police from South Haven in connection with the Dec. 17 break-in of Burrows Sanitation, Blue Star Memorial highway.

Three South Haven teenagers were each sentenced to seven days in the county jail, fined \$105 and placed on six months probation on charges of malicious destruction under \$100. Gary Morrison, 19, route 1, South Haven; Allen Voissard, 18, route 1, South Haven; and Gary Perysian, 18, route 5, South Haven were arrested Oct. 17 by state police from South Haven in connection with several incidents in which autos and homes were damaged by thrown rocks.

Cecil Riddle, 23, route 1, Covert was ordered held in lieu of \$30,000 bond after demanding preliminary examinations on charges of breaking and entering, malicious destruction over \$100 to property and aggravated assault.

Riddle was arrested by Covert township police in connection with the Aug. 5 break-in of a Covert residence. Police said the house was extensively damaged by the intruder. The aggravated assault charge goes back to a March, 1976 incident in which a determination was placed on open adjournment pending Riddle's agreement to seek psychiatric help. The exams were set for Dec. 28.

Junior Cheeks, 24, route 1, Covert was sentenced to a total of 199 days in the county jail after being found guilty of charges of eluding Covert township police and being a disorderly person.

Two Dads Jailed For Arrearages

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support payment was made in May, 1975.

Marion R. Grzesick, of 1003 Lions Park drive, St. Joseph, was ordered by Byrns to submit to a medical examination to determine if he is able to work, and if found able, will be given 60 days to find work or spend 60 days in jail. Grzesick was cited into court for \$648 arrears for one child not on ADC.

Robert E. Hulan, of 117 Fulton, Buchanan, was told to find employment in 30 days or spend 10 days in jail for \$1,404 arrears for one ADC child, and Byrns also warned that if Hulan goes to jail, he is to find work within 60 days of his release or spend 30 more days in jail.

Lynn A. Johnston, of Hartford, was given 30 days by Byrns to complete his job training and begin making payments of \$21 weekly support and \$4 towards an arrearage of \$1,150 for one child not on ADC or be sentenced to an unspecified jail term.

Danny S. Nekvasil, of 604 West John Beers road, Stevensville, was ordered by White to sign a wage assignment of \$42 weekly support and \$5 each week towards an arrearage of \$672 for four children on ADC.

John S. Williams, of 5976 Lincoln avenue, Stevensville was ordered by Byrns to pay \$500 immediately towards an arrearage of \$3,105 for one ADC child, and sign a wage assignment of \$20 weekly support and \$5 weekly on the arrearage.

Rejected

BULLETIN

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — The first application to drill for oil in Pigeon River Country State Forest has been rejected by the Department of Natural Resources, Director Howard A. Tanner said today.

Tanner said the permit application by Michigan Oil Co. fell below the environmental standards agreed to by the state and three other oil companies last June.

Pope Seeking Sainthood For Alcoholic Irishman

By EDWARD MAGRI

Associated Press Writer

VATICAN CITY (AP) — Pope Paul VI said today he hopes to raise toward sainthood next year an alcoholic Irish laborer who became known as "the saint in overalls" before his death in Dublin in 1925.

The Pope also said at his weekly public audience that the Mafia is one of the "chronic and ingrained" vices of society and said Christmas spirit would help better than prison and police to fight it.

Pope Paul said he hoped the process would soon be completed to allow him to proclaim Matthew Talbot blessed. This is the last step before canonization as a saint of the Roman Catholic Church.

Talbot, who died at 69 in a Dublin street, was a drunkard for 15 years until he underwent a conversion and devoted the rest of his life to his job in a lumberyard and to the Church.

"We hope we can have the beatification of Matthew Talbot next year," Pope Paul said. "He was a poor alcoholic worker of Ireland and thanks to a won-

derful grace from the Lord he converted himself, but not always converted himself away from alcohol, but became so exemplary, so good and so saintly that, as it seems, he has become worthy of being proclaimed blessed."

"Talbot, remember him," the pontiff told a crowd of several thousand persons in the audience hall. "He gives us precisely the hope for this renewal that is among the most significant facts of the virtues of the Gospel."

The case for the beatification of Talbot has been under study at the Vatican's Congregation for the Causes of Saints for 30 years, and, as Pope Paul disclosed, is now nearing its conclusion.

Speaking of the Mafia, the 79-year-old pontiff said: "We can see these vices that are so

chronic and ingrained in society."

"Who can treat the Mafia?" he asked.

"Something else than a carabinieri or a policeman or a prison is needed. Prisons can often become a school for getting worse rather than being reborn."

He said Christmas gave everyone a chance for "human and spiritual renewal" in what he called the "Christian school" and added:

"The Christian school can make man be born again, can reform moral habits. The Church has converted the barbarians who were so unchecked in conquest and cruelty and made new peoples out of them."

Surrender Ends Hijack Attempt

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — A disgruntled airline mechanic surrendered today after taking two persons hostage and commandeering a DC8 jetliner almost 15 hours before, authorities said.

Palm J. Hinnant, 37, was quietly removed from the plane shortly after 6:30 a.m., bringing to an end the tense drama that began Tuesday afternoon.

One of the hostages, Richard Funk, was rushed to Peninsula Hospital. The 38-year-old United Airlines shop manager earlier told authorities over the airplane radio that Hinnant had slashed him several times after forcing the two hostages to board the empty airliner.

The other hostage, United Airlines mechanic Jerry Dusenberry, 42, was released unharmed by Hinnant about an hour earlier after two of the hijacker's friends boarded the aircraft.

"Everybody's coming off and we got the gun," Lincoln Jones, one of Hinnant's friends, told authorities shortly before the

disturbed hijacker surrendered.

Hinnant was taken into custody by Charles Bates, FBI agent in charge. Jones and his other friend, Clarence Hamlet, also left the plane and police swarmed aboard to check it.

"Where will we be going from here?" Hinnant asked authorities as he left the plane. "I'll be going to jail, right?"

Published reports said Hinnant had been informed Tuesday before the hijacking began that his paid sick leave with United had run out.

Shortly before he had released Dusenberry, Hinnant declared: "It's too late for me now. I'm just trying to get away from what's bugging me."

Authorities had unsuccessfully tried to persuade him to surrender, but Hinnant, armed with a Luger-type automatic handgun, had continued to issue demands over the craft's radio and to intimidate his captives.

His key demand was for another jet and a flight crew to pilot it to an unknown destination somewhere eastward.

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Sterling	4 2 1	L. Kemp	9 3
Pode	7 1 2	S. Kemp	6 1
Jones	1 0 0	Jackson	3 2
Johnson	1 0 0	Hornum	5 0
Radford	1 0 0	Hardaway	0 2
Green	0 0 0	Rollins	0 0
DeFrance	2 0 1	Johnson	0 0
Joseph	2 0 2		
Totals	38 2 12	Totals	32 12 20



STEVE SHOOT: Benton Harbor's Steve McNutt jumps for shot while teammate Keith Taylor (44) breaks toward the basket for a possible rebound. Ronald Page (10) looks on. Detroit Southeastern players in on the action Tuesday night in the Tiger gym are Billy Ross (45) and Sherman Kemp (13). McNutt scored 17 points, Page 15 and Taylor 13 in a 79-76 Benton Harbor victory. (Staff photo by Harry Smith)

All-Star Game Dropped

CHICAGO (AP) — Higher costs and uncertainties about recruiting players have brought an end to the annual mid-summer football game between a team of college all-stars and the champions of the National Football League.

The Chicago Tribune Charities Inc., sponsors of the game which had been played in Soldier Field since 1934, announced Tuesday that the contest was being discontinued.

"Problems which make continuation impossible have been created by uncertainties in recruiting player personnel and increasing expenses reflected in insurance costs that doubled last year alone because of high player salaries," said Robert Hunt, president of the Chicago Tribune and its Charities.

"We regret the end of a traditional sports classic which has contributed substantial assistance to the needy in Chicago and land," he added.

A spokesman for the sponsors commented, "The game simply has priced itself out of existence." He also said 26 of the 55 college players reporting to All-Star camp last year had not signed with an NFL team.

"They just came in on their own and this made their status shaky. We didn't have a hold on them. Our contract is with the National Football League, and the All-Star players al-

ways had been tied to their league clubs when they reported. Also, there is no (scheduled) player draft next year and that adds to the uncertainty."

NFL Commissioner Pete Rozelle said, "The College All-Star game played a major role in promoting the growth of the National Football League. I regret it is no longer practical economically for Chicago Tribune Charities to sponsor it."

The NFL champions had a 31-9-2 lead in the series, with the last victory by the college squad coming over Green Bay in 1963.

The 1978 game, the last in the current contract between the sponsor and the NFL, ended on an inauspicious note.

The Super Bowl champion Pittsburgh Steelers were leading in the third quarter after a downpour. Hundreds of fans streamed onto the artificial turf, splashing and skidding around and tearing down the goal posts. The game was called off.

An NFL spokesman in New York said the future of the game may be discussed at a meeting in Seattle on Jan. 17, or, more likely, at the league's March meeting in Phoenix.

Detroit Trying To Keep Wings

DETROIT (AP) — Worried by rumors the Detroit Red Wings might leave town, city officials tried during the National Hockey League team with a look at the bright side of downtown Detroit Tuesday.

Coach Alex Delvecchio and some of his Red Wings were given a tour of the Renaissance Center, a privately financed office-hotel complex being built on the city's waterfront.

Worried by dwindling crowds at their Olympia stadium home, the Red Wings have

been shopping for a new place to skate.

City Council President Carl Levin, who organized the preview of the unfinished Renaissance Center, said he hoped the team and Olympia Stadium officials got "psychological encouragement to stay in Detroit."

The city awaits a decision from the federal government on its application for \$5 million to build a \$20 million basketball and hockey arena. Levin

and Detroit Mayor Coleman Young say the city will build the arena even without federal aid, and regardless of whether the Red Wings stay or head for the suburbs.

The tour group strolled through the lobby of the 70-story Plaza Hotel and took elevators to a rooftop view of the city.

"They're gonna have trees and waterfalls and every other damn thing in here," Mayor Young said.

Even so, Red Wings center Walt McKechnie voiced some doubts. "The team has got to play in a place where people will come to the games," said McKechnie. "They've got to clean up the crime in this city for the team to stay. People here are just fed up."

John Ziegler, vice-president and general counsel for the team, said the Red Wings and the Olympia management have not yet made a decision to move and are "willing to listen to anybody."

River Valley And Buchanan Meet Again For Crown



HIDDEN BALL TRICK: River Valley's Steve Nash (30) grabs for this loose ball while the Mustangs' Don Mason (32) and Lake Michigan Catholic's Tim Gentry (13) look for the hidden object during Tuesday's semifinal game at the Berrien Springs Holiday Tour-

nament. On the left is Mike Masini (31) of the Lakers. River Valley held off the Lakers 82-54 to gain a spot in the title game for the third straight year. (Staff photo by Dick Derrick)

Post Wins In Berrien Springs Tourney

By JACK WALKDEN
Staff Sports Writer

BERRIEN SPRINGS — It has been said that the third time is a charm.

River Valley will be out to prove that saying true here tonight when the Mustangs battle Buchanan in the championship game of the Berrien Springs Holiday Tournament.

The two have met in the title contest in each of the two previous tournaments with the Bucks taking both. But River Valley coach Jerry Schaffer is hoping to change that tonight.

"We're going to have our hands full, especially on the boards," Schaffer said. "But I'm just glad to be in the championship game."

River Valley earned a berth in the championship game by edging Lake Michigan Catholic 62-54 Tuesday. Buchanan got by Berrien Springs 75-68 in the other semifinal tilt.

Lake Michigan Catholic and

Lakers (54)	G F P	R. Valley (62)	G F P
Vision	0 0 2	Schoffer	0 0 3
Rose	2 0 5	Reim	1 2 7
Masini	6 8 2	Jankovic	0 0 0
Gentry	8 3 1	Nash	6 3 9
Barbione	0 0 3	Copeland	6 2 7
Brown	3 3 3	White	6 7 2
Banks	1 0 1	Mason	3 3 3
		Smith	0 0 0

R. Springs (48)

R. Springs (48)		Buchanan (75)			
	G F P		G F P		
Hosben	8 3 3	Fraser	11 1		
Sabornie	5 1 0	McKee	4 4		
Lewis	4 5 5	Bladey	3 2		
Croan	1 0 2	J. Kyles	3 7		
McKee	1 0 1	Widmeyer	4 12		
Sabornie	2 2 2	Conley	1 3		
Sunday	2 2 2	Smith	1 1		
Dixon	2 1 1	Laffer	0 3		
Ewert	0 1 1	Lancaster	0 1		
Totals	25 48	Totals	31 75		
SCORE BY QUARTERS					
Buchanan	17	14	20	24	75
R. Springs	13	12	14	11	50
Officials: Dick Conrad (Miles) & Ed Chad (Three Oaks)					

Berrien meet in tonight's consolation game at 7 p.m. The championship game is set for 8:45 p.m. The two teams are certainly no strangers to each other. The Mustangs beat the Bucks 50-47 earlier this season, snapping Buchanan's 17-game Blossomland winning streak.

Playing without regular center Werner Maak, River Valley took a beating on the boards against the Lakers.

Catholic out rebounded the Mustangs 34-26. The 6-7 Maak is in Germany visiting his grandmother.

"They outlasted us and hurt

us on the boards inside," Schaffer said. "The difference was we shot better the second half."

To be more specific, it was a hot shooting fourth quarter which saved River Valley, now 5-2. The Mustangs, who hit less than 30 per cent of their shots in the first three quarters, blistered the nets on 10 of 13 in the final period.

"In the fourth quarter they hit the shots when they had to," lamented Laker coach Al Nixon. "When we kept pulling back to within one or three points they would hit the shots

from the corner to stay ahead." The loss was the eighth straight this year for Catholic, the worst start in Laker history. But the eight setbacks have come by a total of only 55 points.

"We certainly deserved to win," Nixon said. "There just seems to be a black cloud hovering over us. It was the best job we've done on the boards all season. And we played real good defense. I thought our 1-2-2 zone forced them to hit from outside

(See RIVER VALLEY Page 18)

Hubbard Sparks U-M's Romp Over Chippewas

ANN ARBOR, Mich. (AP) — Olympic gold medalist Phil Hubbard made a career-high 26 points and grabbed 15 rebounds to lead top-ranked Michigan to a 104-63 victory over Central Michigan in non-league college basketball Tuesday night.

"We really seemed to get untracked in the second half," said Michigan Coach Johnny Orr. "Offensively, we're more explosive than we were a year ago."

Chippewa head coach Dick Parfitt, who scouted Michigan's 102-96 victory over Kent State Saturday, said, "We felt that Kent State was in our category. It's hard to evaluate your team when you're playing Michigan. They're so quick."

Orr praised the play of substitute center Joel Thompson,

who came off the bench to block three shots and score 10 points in the first half. "Joel is really coming on. He's becoming a real fine player."

Thompson and guard Ruckey Green were responsible for a first-half Wolverine surge that left the team with a comfortable 49-33 advantage at the buzzer.

Orr also expressed pleasure with his team's jumping. The Wolverines grabbed 63 rebounds to 38 for Central.

"We boarded really well, particularly in the second half. I think our quickness got to them a little bit," Orr added.

The Wolverines never trailed in the game, but took about 11 minutes to break through a meddlesome Chippewa zone defense.

Michigan ran away in the

second half, reeling off 16 straight points in one stretch.

Thompson and Steve Grote followed Hubbard with 15 points each, while Green and John Robinson contributed 12 apiece. Guard Leonard Drake, a former Bradywine star, led Central with 18 points and Kevin Janer added 15.

The win extended Michigan's record to 5-0, while the Chippewas dropped to 4-5.

CENTRAL (43)
A. J. Drake 8-14, Jones 3-15, Pomeroy 1-4, Kuehling 1-12, McCool 1-12, Hayes 2-2, McCann 0-4-0, Coelard 0-2-3, Totals 26-11-8-03

MICHIGAN (104)
Robinson 5-12, Grote 3-12, Hubbard 2-2-26, Green 3-2-4-12, Grote 3-4-15, Butler 1-0-8, Thompson 3-5-15, Hayes 3-2-9, Bergen 1-0-0, Laffer 0-2-2, Lillard 2-0-4, Jones 3-0-0, Stevie 2-0-0, Lillard 2-0-0, Totals 44-16-31-34
Michigan—Michigan 49, Central 33. Total Fouls—Central 20, Michigan 22. Fouled out—None. Technical—Thompson, Central Bench 4-1-3-07.

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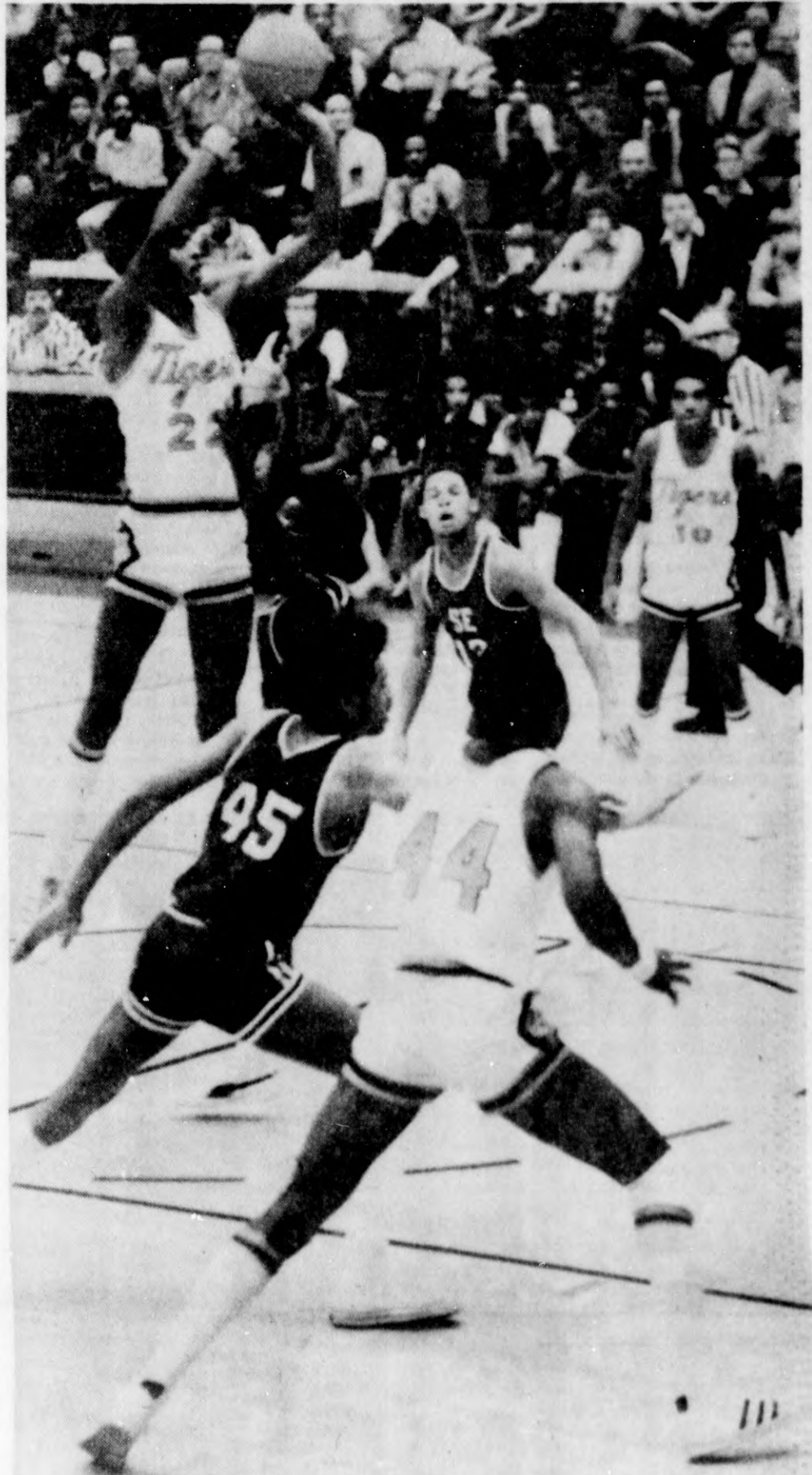
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STEVE SHOOT: Benton Harbor's Steve McNutt jumps for shot while teammate Keith Taylor (44) breaks toward the basket for a possible rebound. Ronald Page (10) looks on. Detroit Southeastern players in on the action Tuesday night in the Tiger gym are Billy Ross (45) and Sherman Kemp (13). McNutt scored 17 points, Page 15 and Taylor 13 in a 79-76 Benton Harbor victory. (Staff photo by Harry Smith)

All-Star Game Dropped

CHICAGO (AP) — Higher costs and uncertainties about recruiting players have brought an end to the annual mid-summer football game between a team of college all-stars and the champions of the National Football League.

The Chicago Tribune Charities Inc., sponsors of the game which had been played in Soldier Field since 1934, announced Tuesday that the contest was being discontinued.

"Problems which make continuation impossible have been created by uncertainties in recruiting player personnel and increasing expenses reflected in insurance costs that doubled last year alone because of high player salaries," said Robert Hunt, president of the Chicago Tribune and its Charities.

"We regret the end of a traditional sports classic which has contributed substantial assistance to the needy in Chicagoland," he added.

A spokesman for the sponsors commented, "The game simply has priced itself out of existence." He also said 26 of the 55 college players reporting to All-Star camp last year had not signed with an NFL team.

"They just came in on their own and this made their status shaky. We didn't have a hold on them. Our contract is with the National Football League, and the All-Star players al-

ways had been tied to their league clubs when they reported. Also, there is no (scheduled) player draft next year and that adds to the uncertainty."

NFL Commissioner Pete Rozelle said, "The College All-Star game played a major role in promoting the growth of the National Football League. I regret it is no longer practical economically for Chicago Tribune Charities to sponsor it."

The NFL champions had a 31-9-2 lead in the series, with the last victory by the college squad coming over Green Bay in 1963.

The 1976 game, the last in the current contract between the sponsor and the NFL, ended on an inauspicious note.

The Super Bowl champion Pittsburgh Steelers were leading in the third quarter after a downpour. Hundreds of fans streamed onto the artificial turf, splashing and skidding around and tearing down the goal posts. The game was called off.

An NFL spokesman in New York said the future of the game may be discussed at a meeting in Seattle on Jan. 17, or, more likely, at the league's March meeting in Phoenix.

Detroit Trying To Keep Wings

DETROIT (AP) — Worried by rumors the Detroit Red Wings might leave town, city officials tried luring the National Hockey League team with a look at the bright side of downtown Detroit Tuesday.

Coach Alex Delvecchio and some of his Red Wings were given a tour of the Renaissance Center, a privately financed office-hotel complex being built on the city's riverfront.

Worried by dwindling crowds at their Olympia stadium home, the Red Wings have

been shopping for a new place to skate.

City Council President Carl Levin, who organized the preview of the unfinished Renaissance Center, said he hoped the team and Olympia Stadium officials got "psychological encouragement to stay in Detroit."

The city awaits a decision from the federal government on its application for \$5 million to build a \$20 million basketball and hockey arena. Levin

and Detroit Mayor Coleman Young say the city will build the arena even without federal aid, and regardless of whether the Red Wings stay or head for the suburbs.

The tour group strolled through the lobby of the 70-story Plaza Hotel and took elevators to a rooftop view of the city.

"They're gonna have trees and waterfalls and every other damn thing in here," Mayor Young said.

Even so, Red Wings center Walt McKechnie voiced some doubts. "The team has got to play in a place where people will come to the games," said McKechnie. "They've got to clean up the crime in this city for the team to stay. People here are just fed up."

John Ziegler, vice-president and general counsel for the team, said the Red Wings and the Olympia management have not yet made a decision to move and are "willing to listen to anybody."

River Valley And Buchanan Meet Again For Crown



HIDDEN BALL TRICK: River Valley's Steve Nash (30) grabs for this loose ball while the Mustangs' Don Mason (32) and Lake Michigan Catholic's Tim Gentry (13) look for the hidden object during Tuesday's semifinal game at the Berrien Springs Holiday Tour-

nament. On the left is Mike Masini (31) of the Lakers. River Valley held off the Lakers 62-54 to gain a spot in the title game for the third straight year. (Staff photo by Dick Derrick)

Post Wins In Berrien Springs Tourney

By JACK WALKDEN
Staff Sports Writer

BERRIEN SPRINGS — It has been said that the third time is a charm.

River Valley will be out to prove that saying true here tonight when the Mustangs battle Buchanan in the championship game of the Berrien Springs Holiday Tournament.

The two have met in the title contest in each of the two previous tournaments with the Bucks taking both. But River Valley coach Jerry Schaffer is hoping to change that tonight.

"We're going to have our hands full, especially on the boards," Schaffer said. "But I'm just glad to be in the championship game."

River Valley earned a berth in the championship game by edging Lake Michigan Catholic 62-54 Tuesday. Buchanan got by Berrien Springs 75-68 in the other semifinal tilt.

Lake Michigan Catholic and

Lakers (54)	R. Valley (62)
G F P	G F P
Visin 0 0 2	Schaffer 9 14 22
Rose 2 0 5	Reith 1 1 2
Masini 6 12 20	Joutokoski 0 0 5
Gentry 8 11 20	Nash 6 0 9
Bartolone 0 0 3	Copeland 4 2 4
Brown 3 3 3	White 0 2 1
Banks 1 0 1	Mason 3 2 3
	Smith 0 0 1
Totals 20 14 17	Totals 25 12 29

SCORE BY QUARTERS
River Valley 9 15 12 26 — 62
Lakers 12 16 17 — 54
Officials: Dick Freestone (Bangor) & Jim Sanborn (Lawrence)

B. Springs (68)	Buchanan (75)
G F P	G F P
Hossein 8 13 23	Fraser 11 14 24
S. mberger 5 10 20	M. Kyles 6 14 23
Lewis 4 5 5	Busby 5 2 5
Croom 1 0 2	J. Kyles 3 2 2
Michienzi 1 0 1	Vindroski 4 1 2
Sammmons 2 2 2	Danley 1 0 3
Sunday 2 2 2	Smith 1 0 1
Dixon 2 1 1	Lohrer 0 3 3
Ewalt 0 1 5	Longmier 0 0 1
Totals 25 18 19	Totals 31 13 24

SCORE BY QUARTERS
Buchanan 17 24 14 20 — 75
B. Springs 13 18 23 14 — 68
Officials: Dick Conrad (Niles) & Ed Cold (Three Oaks)

Berrien meet in tonight's consolation game at 7 p.m. The championship game is set for 8:45 p.m. The two teams are certainly no strangers to each other. The Mustangs beat the Bucks 50-47 earlier this season, snapping Buchanan's 17-game Blossomland winning streak.

Playing without regular center Werner Maak, River Valley took a beating on the boards against the Lakers. Catholic outrebounded the Mustangs 53-26. The 6-7 Maak is in Germany visiting his grandmother.

"They outthrustled us and hurt us on the boards inside," Schaffer said. "The difference was we shot better the second half."

To be more specific, it was a hot shooting fourth quarter which saved River Valley, now 5-2. The Mustangs, who hit less than 30 per cent of their shots in the first three quarters, blistered the nets on 10 of 13 in the final period.

"In the fourth quarter they hit the shots when they had to," lamented Laker coach Al Nixon. "When we kept pulling back to within one or three points they would hit the shots

from the corner to stay ahead."

The loss was the eighth straight this year for Catholic, the worst start in Laker history. But the eight setbacks have come by a total of only 55 points.

"We certainly deserved to win," Nixon said. "There just seems to be a black cloud hovering over us. It was the best job we've done on the boards all season. And we played real good defense. I thought our 1-2-2 zone forced them to hit from outside

(See RIVER VALLEY Page 18)

Hubbard Sparks U-M's
Romp Over Chippewas

ANN ARBOR, Mich. (AP) — Olympic gold medalist Phil Hubbard made a career-high 26 points and grabbed 15 rebounds to lead top-ranked Michigan to a 104-66 victory over Central Michigan in non-league college basketball Tuesday night.

"We really seemed to get untracked in the second half," said Michigan Coach Johnny Orr. "Offensively, we're more explosive than we were a year ago."

Chippewa head coach Dick Parfitt, who scouted Michigan's 102-66 victory over Kent State Saturday, said, "We felt that Kent State was in our category. It's hard to evaluate your team when you're playing Michigan. They're so quick."

Orr praised the play of substitute center Joel Thompson, who came off the bench to block three shots and score 10 points in the first half. "Joel is really coming on. He's becoming a real fine player."

Thompson and guard Rickey Green were responsible for a first-half Wolverine surge that left the team with a comfortable 49-33 advantage at the buzzer.

Orr also expressed pleasure with his team's jumping. The Wolverines grabbed 63 rebounds to 38 for Central.

"We boarded really well, particularly in the second half. I think our quickness got to them a little bit," Orr added.

The Wolverines never trailed in the game, but took about 11 minutes to break through a middlesome Chippewa zone defense.

Michigan ran away in the second half, reeling off 16 straight points in one stretch.

Thompson and Steve Grote followed Hubbard with 15 points each, while Green and John Robinson contributed 12 apiece.

Guard Leonard Drake, a former Brandywine star, led Central with 18 points and Kevin Janer added 13.

The win extended Michigan's record to 5-0, while the Chippewas dropped to 4-5.

CENTRAL (63)
Gordon 20-14, Jones 6-3-15, Proquette 3-4-10, Drake 4-2-18, Bracey 4-9-8, Kaeding 1-0-2, McCool 1-0-2, Hovey 1-0-2, McCool 0-0-0, Copeland 0-2-2, Totals 28-11-30MICHIGAN (104)
Robinson 5-2-12, Staton 0-0-0, Hubbard 12-2-26, Green 5-2-12, Grote 3-4-15, Baxter 4-0-8, Thompson 6-5-15, Hardy 3-2-8, Bergen 1-0-2, Lohrer 0-2-2, Lillard 2-0-0, Jones 0-0-0, Shawee 0-0-0, Leitch 0-0-0, Totals 44-16-104

Halftime—Michigan 49, Central 33. Total fouls—Central 30, Michigan 22. Fouled out—None. Technicals—Thompson, Central Bench, A-1-0-0.

Bulls Edge Sonics In Double Overtime

'Meshing' Knicks Destroy Pistons

From ASSOCIATED PRESS

"We seem to be meshing much quicker than we expected," mused New York Knicks Coach Red Holzman, bidding for understatement of the year. In Game Three of the McAdoo Era, the Knicks mashed Detroit right out of Madison Square Garden Tuesday night, routing the Pistons 133-103 with their highest point total and widest victory margin of the season.

"They looked awesome, didn't they?" observed Pistons Coach Herb Brown, shaking his head.

Indeed they did. The Knicks ripped off the last 13 points of the first quarter for a 35-22 lead, turned back a mild challenge in the second quarter, then blew out Detroit with a 38-19 third period for a 102-69 advantage. In the fourth quarter, the reserves got their chance to perform.

The Knicks are 3-0 since Bob McAdoo joined the lineup and have climbed over the 500 mark at 15-14. Detroit, meanwhile, had a four-game winning streak snapped despite 20 points by Bob Lanier and 14 points and 11 assists by Kevin Porter.

Elsewhere in the National Basketball Association, the New Orleans Jazz beat the Indiana Pacers 123-113, the Cleveland Cavaliers defeated the Boston Celtics 108-101, the San Antonio Spurs topped the Golden State Warriors 123-120, the Chicago Bulls edged the Seattle SuperSonics 103-101 in double overtime, the Denver Nuggets downed the Philadelphia 76ers 108-94, the Los Angeles Lakers beat the Buffalo Braves 97-89 and the Portland Trail Blazers trimmed the Kansas City Kings 96-94.

Spencer Haywood led the Knicks, netting 34 points in 32 minutes on 10-for-15 shooting from the field and 14-for-18 from the foul line. McAdoo added 18 points, Walt Frazier 17 and Earl Monroe 16.

Otto Moore, New Orleans' much-maligned center, scored 17 points, grabbed 14 rebounds and blocked six shots as the Jazz handed Indiana its fourth consecutive loss.

Pete Maravich topped New Orleans with 29 points, while Billy Knight led Indiana with 31.

Bruce Seals' 30-footer at the buzzer for Seattle sent the game into overtime, then Norm Van Lier's two free throws with 21 seconds left forced the first double overtime NBA game in the history of Chicago Stadium.

Mickey Johnson's jumper snapped a 99-99 tie and Van Lier added a pair of free throws in the final minute, clinching the victory.

Boston closed a 14-point third quarter deficit to 101-99 with 1:46 to play, but Bingo Smith sank a 20-foot jumper and a driving layup, clinching the victory. Jim Clemons scored 23 points and Smith had 20, including 12 in the fourth quarter.

Bobby Jones scored 10 straight points in the third quarter and finished with 22, leading Denver to its 14th straight home-court victory.

Portland raised its record to 21-9, best in the NBA, by rallying from an eight-point deficit late in the third period and overhauling the Kings. Bill Walton led the Blazers with 24 points and Bob Gross scored 21.

George Gervin scored 27 points and Mark Olberding had 20 as San Antonio snapped a three-game losing streak. Kareem Abdul-Jabbar's 26 points and 21 rebounds led Los Angeles to its fifth victory in a row and 11th straight homecourt triumph. The Lakers' Lucius Allen took scoring honors with 27 points.

DETROIT (AP) — Carr 6-0-12, H. Porter 2-0-4, Lanier 10-0-20, Ford 1-0-2, K. Porter 6-2-14, Douglas 5-2-12, Simpson 4-3-11, Elbertson 2-1-5, Brown 0-0-0, Barnes 2-0-1, Money 3-0-6, Sellers 4-5-13. Totals 45-13-103.

NEW YORK (AP) — Haywood 10-14-34, McAdoo 8-2-18, Seaton 4-3-11, Frazier 8-1-17, Monroe 7-2-16, McMillen 3-0-4, McMiller 2-0-4, Layton 1-2-4, Jackson 1-1-3, Beard 2-4-8, Burden 0-0-12. Totals 52-29-133.

U.S. Skiers Improving Steadily

ROME (AP) — The American World Cup ski team left Europe Wednesday, bringing home for Christmas their largest haul of World Cup points in years.

The American team, improving steadily, has 104 points so far and trails only Austria, Switzerland and Italy, with such celebrated skiers as France, West Germany and Sweden trailing badly.

Above all, however, the Americans have shown their ability to threaten the leading positions of both the men's and women's standings, with the depth and youth for future improvements.

Phil Mahre, a 19-year-old slalom specialist from White Pass, Wash., was the No. 1 on the men's team. He was third in the World Cup with 40 points, trailing Olympic slalom champion Piero Gros of Italy, 51 points, and Austrian downhill star Franz Klammer, also a gold medalist at Innsbruck, with 50.

Cindy Nelson, a 21-year-old veteran of four World Cups, was the leading American woman. The skier from Lutsen, Minn., was sixth with 41 points.

Other American girls in the 1977 standings were Abbi Fisher, South Conway, N.H., 21 points, and Beckey Dorsey, Wenham, Mass., and Viki Fleckenstein, Syracuse, N.Y., one point each.

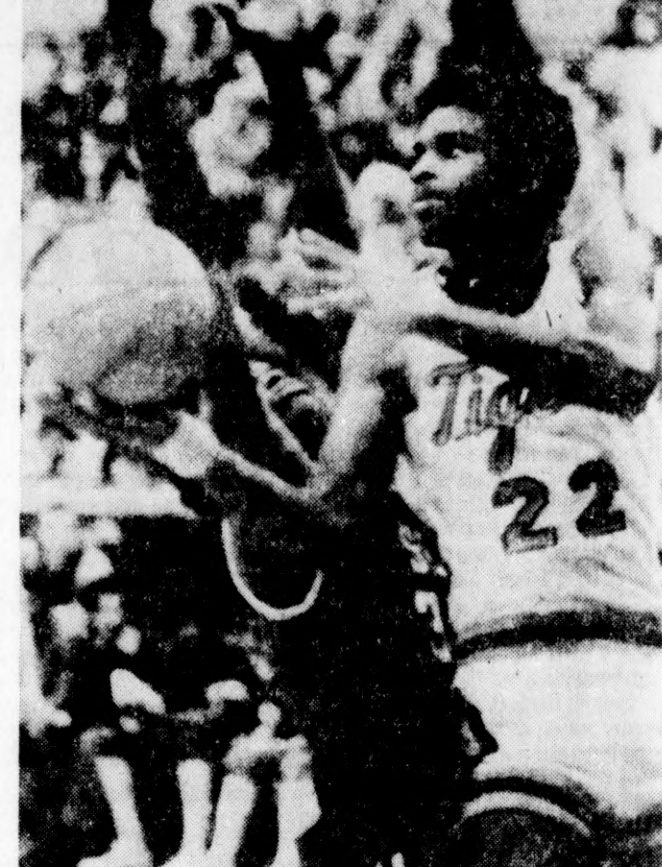
Last winter the American team had picked up only 55 points before Christmas, and only six of them with the men. "Our skiers are young, and a young team is never great," says team director Hank Tauber. "You have to be in the World Cup for a long time before you can do well because you don't have the experience and you get a low seeding."

"There are exceptions such as Mahre, who is the only teenager among the World Cup leaders, but we expect to be within the two or three best teams in the world within a couple of years."

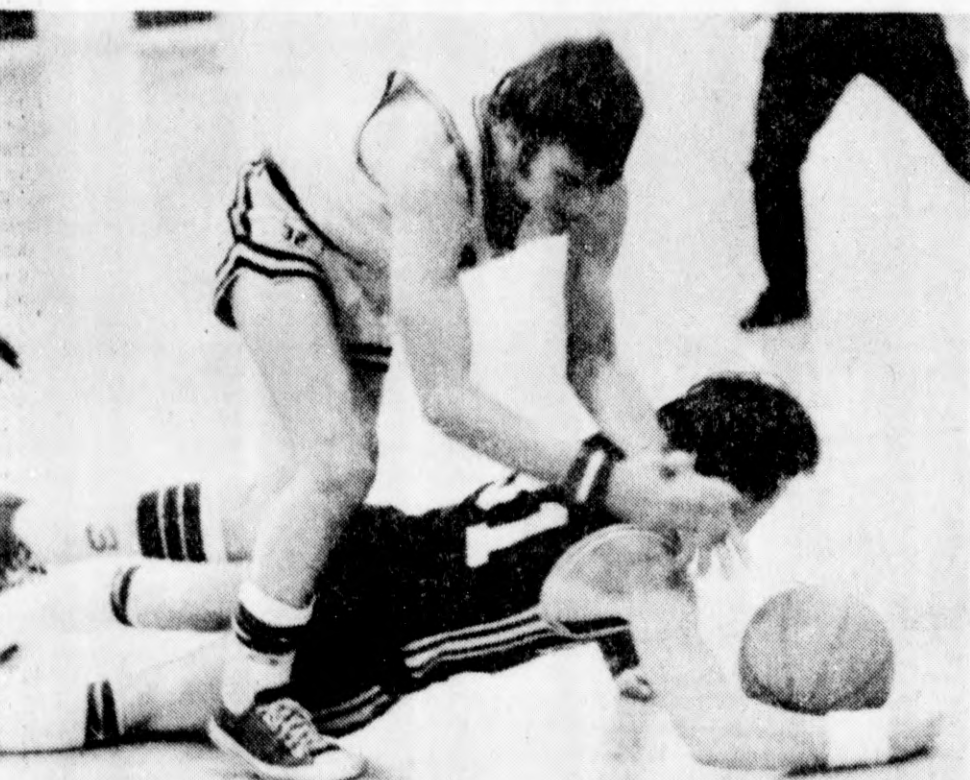
Tauber stressed that the average age of the Swiss was 27, with the Americans almost six years younger.

"No Americans, with few exceptions, have stayed with the team that long," Tauber said. "We can't blame the kids. They had the ability and desire to do well, but they were let down by our organization. They had lousy uniforms, bad transportation, poor hotels and they didn't know what to do for the lack of proper instructions."

Tauber said his first aim when he took over the team in 1974 was to create "the proper environment" for his team's skiers, "as close as we can to U.S. standards."



McNUTT MAKES MOVE: Benton Harbor's Steve McNutt (22) makes move under basket in Tiger game against Detroit Southeastern Tuesday night in the Colfax gym. McNutt paced the Tigers to a 79-76 victory while scoring 17 points. (Staff photo by Harry Smith)



LOOSE BALL: Berrien Springs' Tony Sammons (white) and Buchanan's Rick Layher (31) battle for this loose ball during Tuesday's action in the Berrien Springs Holiday Tournament. Buchanan topped the Shamrocks 75-68 to gain a berth in tonight's championship game against River Valley. (Staff photo by Dick Derrick)

Hartford's Drought Against Vikes Over

HARTFORD — Coach Dick Pfeifer of Hartford got an early Christmas present from his cagers here Tuesday night...a victory over Bangor.

The Indians had four men score in double figures as they broke a six-year win drought in beating the Vikings 62-55 in a non-league game.

The last time a Hartford basketball squad beat a Bangor team was 11 games ago back in the 1970-71 season, when the Indians posted an 83-76 win. Oddly enough, that was also the last season Hartford, now 3-4, had won three games before the holidays.

"Even though we are small, the kids are starting to believe in themselves," beamed Pfeifer. "The kids are competitive. We are beating teams now we haven't beaten in years."

Kirk Daniels led the Indians with 17 points. Duane Toney scored 16, Ken Lowe 13 and Dave Gailhouse 10.

turnovers to the Indians' 23.

After holding a 17-16 edge after the first quarter and a 34-32 lead at the half, the Indians broke game open by outscoring Bangor 14-8 in the third quarter. "We reeled off a couple of fast break baskets and took off," Pfeifer said. "We had the press on all night, too."

Hartford got the lead up to as many as 11 points in the fourth quarter before the Vikings came back to make it a seven-point ballgame.

"This was a good game for Hartford," Pfeifer grinned. "We've really come back from an opening loss."

"The kids really hustled...they worked well against the big team."

Phil Baber made his only two points of the game but it gave Bangor a 36-35 win in the junior varsity contest. Mark Wilson of the Vikings led all scorers with 17 while Bill Wallace had 14 for the Indians.

Crouse Paces 'Skin Win

PAW PAW — George Crouse may be coming into his own for Paw Paw and that can only mean trouble for future Redskin opponents.

The 6-4 junior center blocked four shots and pulled in 10 of his team's 34 rebounds as Paw Paw posted a 50-41 victory over Mattawan here in a non-league basketball game played Tuesday night.

"Crouse really did a good job for us," grinned head coach Dave Anderson. "He controlled the boards. He really is coming into his own."

Sophomore Jon Ghastin led all scorers with 18 points for the Redskins, now 4-2 this season. Crouse added 10 points as the only other double digit scorer.

Karl Kearcher topped Mattawan with 15 points as the Wildcats fell to a 2-3 mark.

Paw Paw hit 18 of 45 field shots (40 per cent) while the Wildcats hit on 15 of 46 tries, a 32 per cent clip.

The first half turned out to be the charm for the Redskins. They held a 15-10 lead after the first quarter and a 29-20 lead at the intermission. Both teams then scored 12 points in the third period and nine in the fourth.

Paw Paw (50)	Mattawan (41)
GFP	GFP
Miller 2-4-0	Quinn 1-0-0
Crouse 5-0-4	Roush 0-1-1
LaPine 3-2-5	Kearcher 5-5-5
Go. Ghastin 6-6-1	Neudover 1-2-4
Stall 1-0-3	Watson 1-0-1
Mitchell 1-1-3	Forthing 1-0-2
	Devries 2-0-2
	Mundo 0-0-3
	Weddington 2-1-3
	Kozminski 0-1-1
	Bowman 1-1-3
Totals 18 14 16	Totals 15 11 25

SCORE BY QUARTERS
Paw Paw 15 14 12 9 — 50
Mattawan 10 10 12 9 — 41
Officials: Leon Dodd & Ed Galeski

SPORTS CAPSULES

GENERAL

MEMPHIS, Tenn. — John Gunn, a 20-year-old junior center on the Memphis State basketball team, died after a brief illness.

SKIING

ZELL AM SEE, Austria — Brigitte - Habersatter - Totschnig of Austria won her second downhill event in two days, beating both Maria Theres Nadig of Switzerland and Nicola Spiess of Austria by 1.44 seconds.

CORTINA D'AMPEZZO, Italy — Ken Read of Canada won the Marcolin Trophy downhill ski race, a warmup for the World Cup downhill, edging Joseph Walker and Peter Wirsberger, both of Austria.

TENNIS

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. — Top-seeded Larry Gottfried, the U.S. junior champion from Lauderdale, Fla., beat Peter Butzow of Finland 6-2, 6-2 in the second round of the 30th annual Orange Bowl Junior Championships.

BASEBALL

PHILADELPHIA — The Philadelphia Phillies have traded catcher Johnny Oates and a player to be named later to the Los Angeles Dodgers for second baseman Ted Sizemore.

BALTIMORE — Third baseman Brooks Robinson has been offered a one-year contract as a player-coach by the Baltimore Orioles.

FOOTBALL

DENVER — John Ralston has been asked to relinquish his duties as general manager of the Denver Broncos to veteran club official Fred Gehrke. Ralston will remain as head coach.

Career Clips

Steve Smallbone (Dowagiac) had the most defensive fumble recoveries with three for the Central Michigan football team this year. The sophomore tackle was credited with 20 solo tackles (second best on the team) and 45 assists (fourth best).

Jeff VanHusen (Dowagiac), a freshman, is listed as a member of the Grand Valley wrestling team.

Schut Returns, Keys Hawk Win

BLOOMINGDALE — Lyle Schut made his return a memorable one for Fennville Tuesday night.

The 6-2 forward, who missed the first six games of the season because of disciplinary reasons, scored 25 points in leading the Blackhawks to an 80-55 win over

Bloomington here in a non-league boys basketball game.

Schut, who started last year and had a 10.7 points per game average, got most of his points inside, according to coach Larry Morse, as Fennville raised its season mark to 3-4. Bloomington fell to a 1-4 mark.

TV Screen For Braves

ATLANTA (AP) — A huge instant-replay television screen is to be built at Fulton County stadium with proceeds from a \$1.5 million bond issue approved by the county commission Tuesday.

Ted Turner, owner of the Atlanta Braves, is supporting the project, and county officials said he has agreed to guarantee repayment of the bonds in exchange for exclusive advertising rights and half of the gross advertising revenue.

Sid Scarborough of the Stadium Authority said Turner has estimated that the screen would bring in about \$600,000 per year in advertising revenue, with Turner's profit about \$100,000.

Mike Thompson came off the bench to add 17 points and Jim Scudder scored 13 points for the Blackhawks. Greg Riddle notched 19 points for the Cardinals and Bill Rowilson added 14.

Fennville made 31 of 26 field goal tries, a 40.8 per cent clip, while snaring 42 rebounds and committing 17 turnovers. Schut and Scudder each had nine rebounds.

The Blackhawks held leads of 16-9 after the first quarter, 42-24 at the half and 67-40 after three quarters.

Bl'mide (55)	Fennville (80)
Greene 1-2-3	Schermer 3-0-3
Rowlison 7-0-2	J. Scudder 5-3-3
Riddle 7-5-3	K. Bate 1-2-1
Allen 2-0-3	G. Morse 1-0-1
Powers 0-0-1	D. Scudder 2-1-1
Wilkinson 1-2-2	Thompson 0-5-1
King 1-1-3	T. Morse 1-0-2
Habs 0-1-0	Bate 2-0-2
Dickerson 0-0-2	Schut 9-2-2
Russell 2-2-2	D. Bell 1-0-1
Totals 21 13 21	Totals 31 18 17

SCORE BY QUARTERS
Fennville 16 26 25 13 — 80
Bloomington 9 15 16 15 — 55

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Canham Says New CFA Needs Conservative Voices

By LARRY PALADINO
AP Sports Writer

PASADENA, Calif. (AP) — While the Big Ten fiddles, the National Collegiate Athletic Association could get burned by the neophyte College Football Association, Don Canham believes.

It's not that the new organization is evil. It's just that it needs conservative voices from the Big Ten and Pacific Eight conferences to soften some of the more liberal proposals expected from such CFA members as the Big Eight Conference, Canham says.

Canham is the University of Michigan's highly successful athletic director. He is noted for a marketing genius that has helped make the Wolverines the biggest drawing card in the history of college football.

Despite Canham's ability and the respect in which he is held by his peers, he wasn't able to influence presidents of the Big Ten universities to so much as send a representative to CFA meetings.

Monday the association, meeting in Dallas, took a major step toward organizing itself into a lobby to push for NCAA legislation. Representatives from 56 football playing schools were at the

meeting, including the Big Eight, Southwest, Southeast, Atlantic Coast conferences plus major independents like Notre Dame and Penn State.

No PAC Eight or Big Ten representatives participated.

"I think it's one of the biggest mistakes the Big Ten Conference has ever made not to go and listen," said Canham in an interview in Pasadena. That's where the Wolverines are headquartered while preparing to meet Southern California in the Rose Bowl game New Year's Day.

Canham said he spoke in Chicago at a meeting of Big Ten presidents, but they voted against sending anyone to the CFA meeting.

"How in the world could you feel that those 56 schools can't fly without the Big Ten?" Canham asked. "... the thing I worry about is that those schools are gonna control legislation in the NCAA where football is concerned. And there are a lot of ways of doing it."

"There are 56 schools playing another 100 schools. They can swing those votes. They can say, 'Look, you want to play us in basketball? You vote with us at this NCAA meeting. You want to play us in baseball? You vote with us.'

"... the power and strength of those 56 schools ... is gigantic and for us not to be part of it — to be a conservative voice — it's gonna come back to haunt us."

Canham said he feels Big Ten presidents voted against joining mostly because of the active participation of the Big Eight, which has advocated more liberal policies.

Athletic Director Bob Devaney of Big Eight school Nebraska has spoken of the CFA being the nucleus of a group that could withdraw from the NCAA, Canham said.

"He doesn't know what he's talking about," he added, saying such statements scared non-member schools out of participating in the CFA.

"Father Joyce of Notre Dame (Rev. Edmond) and Joe Paterno of Penn State don't agree with Big Eight philosophy at all. Maybe they're gonna be outvoted because the Big Ten isn't there. That's the thing that worries me."

Father Joyce said the CFA has two major objectives: "We want to provide a forum for schools with a common interest and we want to insure that football is consistent with the academic objectives in an institute of higher learning."

To be a member of the CFA a school must have a football

stadium of at least 20,000 seating capacity, must have averaged at least 20,000 persons at home games the past three years and must give at least 80 full scholarships over a three-year period.

"This group has probably already started figuring on what it's gonna throw its weight behind at the (NCAA) convention," Canham said. "And in another year they're gonna be figuring on what they want to introduce."

"Father Joyce is probably about as knowledgeable a man on intercollegiate athletics as there is in the country. And I've got great respect for Chuck Nelms, the Big Eight commissioner. We have a difference in philosophy because I don't want to see unlimited scholarships and that sort of thing. There are a lot of people in the Big Ten that should be in there arguing with the guys who are gonna try and open things wide — and voting against it. Now we're just gonna be sitting on the outside reading in the paper what this very powerful organization decides to do."

Would the Big Ten make a late effort to get in the CFA?

"You mean we're gonna take our hat in our hand now and beg to be admitted?" Canham queried. "You think the Big Ten's gonna eat crow to do it?"

It was clear from his tone he didn't think so.

Steelers Holding Away-Field Edge Hostile Fans Fire Up Team

From ASSOCIATED PRESS

The home field advantage in sports has been well publicized. But what about the "away-field" advantage?

That is what the Pittsburgh Steelers think they have in Sunday's American Football Conference playoff game against the Oakland Raiders.

"There's nothing we like bet-

ter than going against a team that's biting at the bit, with the crowd hollering obscene things at you," says Pittsburgh quarterback Terry Bradshaw.

"Then you go down and score, win the football game and get out of there."

Coach Chuck Noll agrees with Bradshaw.

"Our team reacts to the crowd

noise, whether it's for or against us," noted Noll. "That kind of thing excites our football team. Our history shows it."

The most recent example, of course, is Pittsburgh's 40-14 humiliation of the Baltimore Colts in last week's American Football Conference playoff opener at Baltimore. The Steelers have won more than one National Football League game in intensely hostile territory enroute to two straight Super Bowl titles.

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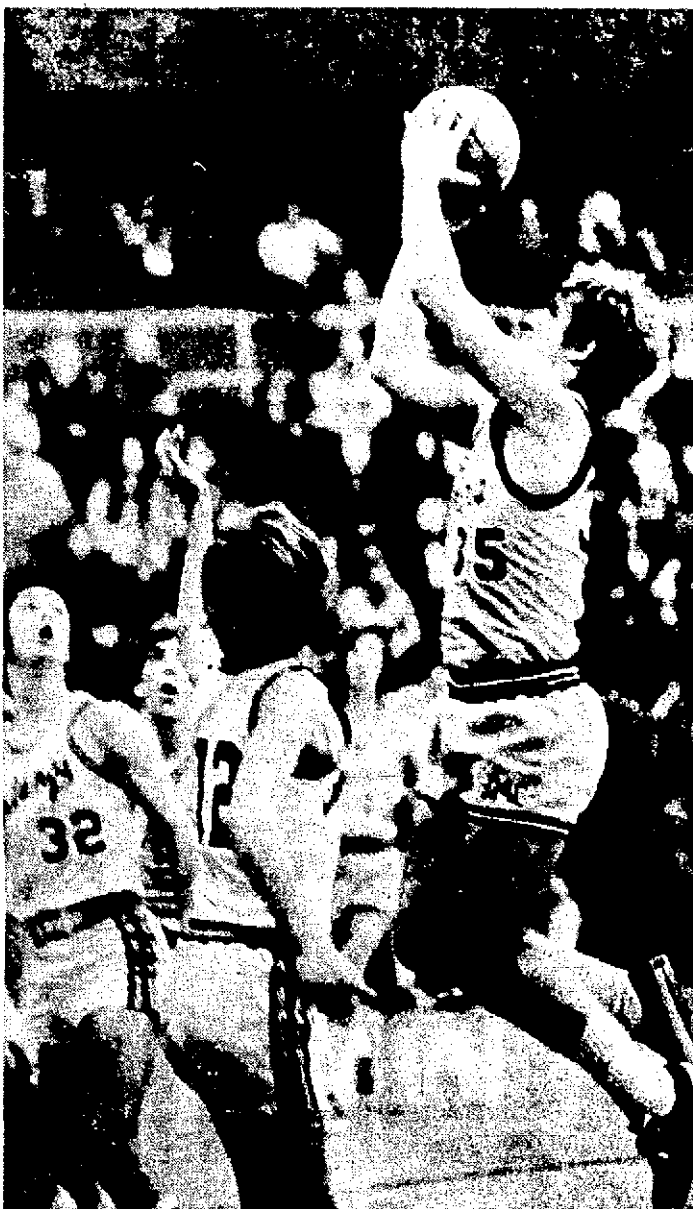
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It's not that the new organization is evil. It's just that it needs conservative voices from the Big Ten and Pacific Eight conferences to soften some of the more liberal proposals expected from such CFA members as the Big Eight Conference, Canham says.

Canham is the University of Michigan's highly successful athletic director. He is noted for a marketing genius that has helped make the Wolverines the biggest drawing card in the history of college football.

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Monday the association, meeting in Dallas, took a major step toward organizing itself into a lobby to push for NCAA legislation. Representatives from 56 football playing schools were at the

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Canham said he spoke in Chicago at a meeting of Big Ten presidents, but they voted against sending anyone to the CFA meeting.

"How in the world could you feel that those 56 schools can't fly without the Big Ten?" Canham asked. "... the thing I worry about is that those schools are gonna control legislation in the NCAA where football is concerned. And there are a lot of ways of doing it."

"There are 56 schools playing another 100 schools. They can swing those votes. They can say, 'Look, you want to play us in basketball? You vote with us at this NCAA meeting. You want to play us in baseball? You vote with us.'

"... the power and strength of those 56 schools ... is gigantic and for us not to be part of it — to be a conservative voice — it's gonna come back to haunt us."

Canham said he feels Big Ten presidents voted against joining mostly because of the active participation of the Big Eight, which has advocated more liberal policies.

Athletic Director Bob Devaney of Big Eight school Nebraska has spoken of the CFA being the nucleus of a group that could withdraw from the NCAA, Canham said.

"He doesn't know what he's talkin' about," he added, saying such statements scared non-member schools out of participating in the CFA.

"Father Joyce of Notre Dame (Rev. Edmond) and Joe Paterno of Penn State don't agree with Big Eight philosophy at all. Maybe they're gonna be outvoted because the Big Ten isn't there. That's the thing that worries me."

Father Joyce said the CFA has two major objectives: "We want to provide a forum for schools with a common interest and we want to insure that football is consistent with the academic objectives in an institute of higher learning."

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Would the Big Ten make a late effort to get in the CFA?

"You mean we're gonna take our hat in our hand now and beg to be admitted?" Canham queried. "You think the Big Ten's gonna eat crow to do it?"

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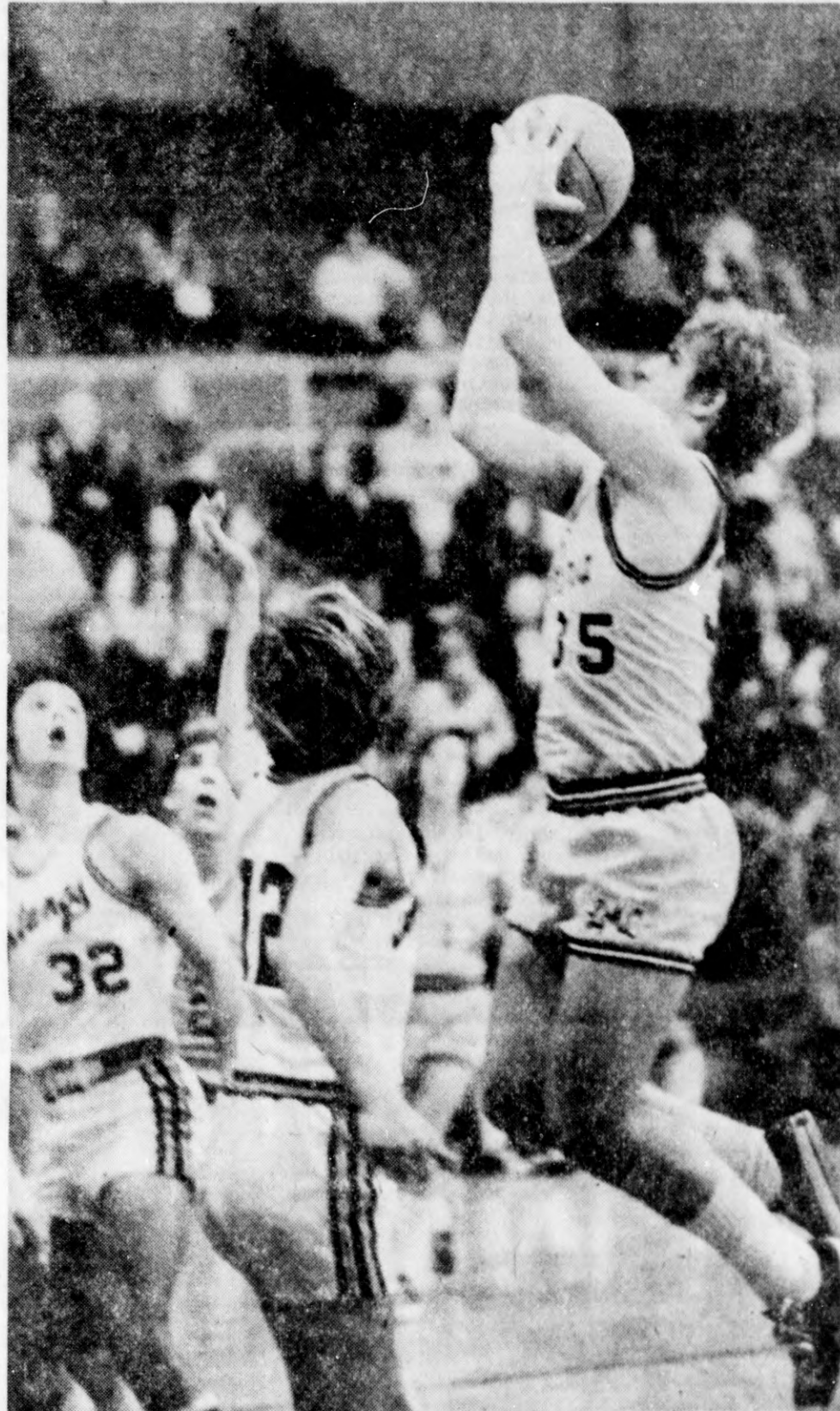
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The Mustangs took the lead for good by scoring the first five points of the fourth quarter for a 41-37 margin. The Lakers cut the deficit to one twice, the last time at 50-49. But Catholic was unable to get the lead.

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"It was the most aggressive defensive game we've played all year," Buchanan coach Jon Buchanan said. "After they took the lead, we played better defense and that was the difference. We trapped well and that helped to turn things around."

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Berrien coach Connie Stover believes his team has just got to put four quarters of basketball together.

"One of these days we're going to find out that you have to play four quarters of basketball," he said. "We eventually got to hustling. What hurts is that it takes us so long to get in gear. When we do get in gear we look pretty decent."

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COLLEGE REC
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SUNDAY NIGHT MIXED — Men: Dan Siler 425, Vern Sirk 401, Paul Dickerson 476, Women: R. Rodger 475, Bob Pendergrass 414, Betty Shackelford 402, College Rec. 3470 (1571), Solits: Alice Wilson 310.

STEVENSVILLE BUSINESS
MEN — Laurel Webster 418, Jim Szyburski 351, Sam Szyburski 326, Marshall Hanner 528 (230), Roy Hope 521, Matt Hollick Jr. (236), Martin Morlen 295 (197), Solits: Frank Hoffmann 419.

SWITCH-A-RIDE — Ann Floel 623 (246/205), Carol Keller 526, Sherry Rogalski 524, Ruth Everett 496, Jan Note 481, Quality Picking 200 (151).

HITS & MISSES — Virginia Hamilton 574 (212/214), Shirley Smith 526, Rose Kelly 517 (191), Joan Pendergrass 476, Debra Hanner 476, Sherry and Wilbur 109 (643).

NEWCOMERS MIXED — Men: Cecil Wisner 418, Jim Wisner 408 (222), Gordon Boushke 401 (222), Women: Betty Wood 519 (206), Rose Black 514 (203), Royal Mercury 2463, A.D. Timber 1841.

SECONDONE'S
INTER CITY BUSINESS — Norm Strunk 386, Bill J. Fraberg 544, Bill Humphrey 541, Steve Monod 522, John's 524 (252).

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WHIRLPOOL LADIES — Nancy Krugh 466, Dorothy Cox 460, Velma Ervin 1741, Credit 5 2720, Solits: Angel L&L&L 54-10.

LAKESHORE — Bill Willis 610, George Wolff 591, Ken Burger 591 (110), Oseon Zielke 573, Don Rybozczyk 562, Gersandke Rec. 2617 (151).

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RIVER VALLEY

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Gary Schaffer paced River Valley with 21 points, 13 coming in the first half. Steve Copeland added 14, 10 in the second half, and Steve Nash scored 12, eight in the second half.

Mike Masini and Tim Gentry combined for 39 of the 54 Laker points. Masini tossed in 20, 12 in the final period, and Gentry added 19, 10 in the third quarter.

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Masini pulled down 13 rebounds and freshman Brian Brown added 10 caroms. Schaffer led River Valley with nine.

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The Lakers turned the ball over 25 times to only 11 for the Mustangs.

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Terry Hosbein scored 19, Jack Lewis 13 and Mike Shembarger 11 for Berrien, which fell to 2-5.

Buchanan raced out to a 36-21 lead in the first 12 minutes. But the Shamrocks roared back and finally took their only lead of the game at 56-55 on Tim Sunday's bucket in the first minute of the final quarter.

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cent), including a nifty eight of 11 in the final quarter.

"It was the most aggressive defensive game we've played all year," Buchanan coach Jon Bohannon said. "After they took the lead, we played better defense and that was the difference. We trapped well and that helped to turn things around."

The Buck defense forced Berrien into 24 turnovers, while Buchanan threw the ball away only 20 times themselves.

Berrien coach Connie Stover believes his team has just got to put four quarters of basketball together.

"One of these days we're going to find out that you have to play four quarters of basketball," he said. "We eventually got to hustling. What hurts is that it takes us so long to get in gear. When we do get in gear we look pretty decent."

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BANTAM — Boys: Stuart Thurlow 351, Bryan White 345, Randy Donohue 327. Girls: Kim LoPresti 321, Pam Steinhoff 302. Splits: Scott Moore 317.

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WEDNESDAY MIXED — Men: Ken Rau 539, Jim Davis 530, Jerry Root 527, Wagonmerry 489, Judy Root 428, Doris Davis 458, Galotti's 1743 (603).

SUNDAY NIGHT MIXED — Men: Dennis Slier 495, Vern Sirk 481, Paul Dickerson 476. Women: R. Rodger 423, Barb Pendergrass 412, Betty H. Shackelford 432. Coloma Rec. 1670 (575). Splits: Alice Nilson 5-8-10.

LAKESHORE LANES
NIGHT OWLS — Judy Hoffman 528 (225), Ruth Plangner 511, Sharon Paul 511, Laurie Peoples 478, Corlie Piliwant 468, Ace Plumbing 2241 (809). Splits: Judy Hoffman 4-6, Karen Tackett 3-7-10.

STEVENSVILLE BUSINESS
MEN — Laurel Webster 618, Jim Styrski 593, Bill Sundstrom 576, Marshall Hosner 538 (230), Roy Hope 551, Matt Nyzicko Jr. (236), Martin Marietta 2595 (939). Splits: Frank Hoffman 4-9.

LAKES BOWL
SWITCH — ROOS — Ann Fliegel 628 (246, 205), Carol Keller 526, Sherry Rogalski 524, Ruth Everett 496, Jan Note 481, Quality Packaging 2420 (855).

HITS & MISSES — Virginia Hamilton 574 (212, 214), Shirley Smith 520, Rose Kelly 518, Chris Gulliver 515, Pat McCartney 510, June Hatch 509, Rose Black 506, Springsteen & Son 2360.

SATURDAY NIGHT MIXED — Men: Richard Stark 546 (226), Ted Velthouse 545, Jim Heron 531, Women: Dixie Morse 507 (186), Joan Personette 476, Debra Hageman 474, Stark & Wilder 1919 (663).

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TWIN CITY — A. Schmidt Sr. 642 (269), E. Fisher 622 (246), L. Mar 610, H. Colbert 599, B. Sundstrom 596 (235).

CITY — Walt Radecki 617, M. Simeck 616, B. Pullins 615 (237), R. Snodgrass (242), Tosi's 2753 (973), Splits: D. Kosewurm 4-7-9, L. Gracer 6-7, D. Jeschke 5-7, P. Wosner 3-10-2.

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By GEORGE W. CONNELL
AP Religion Writer

Out of his rustic origins, his native wisdom, the Biblical grain of his thinking and the fiery trial of the nation, Abraham Lincoln emerges as the most deeply religious of American presidents.

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"If I had my way, this war would never have been commenced; if I had been allowed my way, this war would have ended before this, but we find it still continues; and we must believe that He permits it for some wise purpose of His own, mysterious and unknown to us."

From the days of his backwoods, rustic schooling, in which the reading lessons were from the Bible, he immersed himself in Scriptures, and often had a battered, old family Bible in his hand at the White House.

"It is the best gift God has given to man," he said.

Sometimes he called an "atheist" or "baboon infidel." Lincoln was alternately pained or amused by it. He fit no

same thing at the same time." He said God's purpose may differ from that of either side, even though both serve as instrumentalities in effecting his ends.

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The prayers of both could not be answered; that of neither has been answered fully. The Almighty has his own purposes."

Yet to Lincoln, God was no mere, impersonal, immutable power, but intimately active in persons and events. So strongly did Lincoln feel this that when he decided in 1862 to issue his proclamation emancipating slaves, he discussed it with his cabinet, then concluded in a low voice:

"I made a solemn vow before God, that if General Lee (the southern confederacy commander) was driven back from Pennsylvania, I would crown the result by the declaration of freedom to the slaves."

That emancipation proclamation came Jan. 1, 1863 — "a solemn recognition of responsibility before God and before men," Lincoln phrased it.

He himself had long opposed slavery, which he saw as denying God's intended destiny for the nation, a built-in contradiction to the law of its life. In the 1858 campaign debates with Stephen Douglas two years before Lincoln was elected president, he declared:

"My ancient faith teaches me that 'all men are created equal'; and that there can be no moral right in connection with one man's making a slave of another." This, he said, is inherent in "the justice of the Creator to His creatures." Nothing stamped with the divine image and likeness was sent into the world to be trampled on, and degraded, and imbruted by its fellows."

Yet Lincoln always expressed sorrow, not condemnation, toward the South in the conflict and was often attacked by radical abolitionists as being too mild.

Born in a Kentucky log cabin, he was reared in poverty. His family soon moved westward into the wilds of Indiana, where his farmer-carpenter father and stepmother helped start the Pigeon Creek Baptist Church, which he attended as a boy.

His total schooling amounted only to about one year but he read avidly from the Bible and borrowed books — Bunyan's Pilgrim's Progress, Shakespeare, Aesop's Fables. He liked to write antic verses, and put down these lines on the death of a local character, a Kickapoo Indian:

"Here lies Johnny Kongapod
Have mercy on him, gracious God
As he would do if he was God
And you were Johnny Kongapod."

The doggerel indicated an aspect of Lincoln's religious conviction, which he maintained through his life — that God intended the ultimate salvation of all men — a view most denominations sharply rejected. Lincoln had little use for the frontier fire-and-brimstone preachers, sometimes joking about them.

Moving farther west to Illinois, he split rails, did odd jobs, managed a mill, worked at stores, as a village postmaster, a surveyor, studying on his own for the law. He built a law practice in Springfield. Known as a story-teller, who usually had some folksy tale to make a point, he became a popular figure, served in the state legislature and eventually, in a sectionally torn nation, became president in 1861.

Three months later came the attack on Fort Sumpter, and the four-year war was on. Surely, he wrote later, God "intends some great good to follow this mighty convulsion, which no mortal could make, and no mortal could stay."

Sometimes in the pitch of crises, Lincoln said he would "go to his room, lock the door and get down on his knees and pray." His secretary, John

Nicolay, reported, "Mr. Lincoln was a praying man." Lincoln's wife, Mary Todd, joined the Presbyterian Church, as she had in Springfield, and he went with her to services, but never joined himself.

Coupled with his worries and serious religious reflections, however, was his humor. He called a laugh "good medicine," and encouraged it with honey anecdotes, including a story attributed to two Quaker women conversing on a train about Abraham Lincoln and Jefferson Davis, president of the southern confederacy.

One said, "I think Jefferson will succeed."

"Why does thee think so?" asked the other.

"Because Jefferson is a praying man."

"And so is Abraham a praying man."

"Yes, but the Lord will think Abraham is joking."

In a dark period of the war, Lincoln set April 30, 1863, as a national fast day, his proclamation for it sounding like a passage from the Book of Amos. It called both sides to their knees in repentance for "sins and transgressions" that have brought on the "awful calamity of this civil war."

"We have forgotten God," Lincoln said. "We have forgotten the gracious hand which preserved us in peace, and multiplied and enriched and strengthened us."

But in spite of his anxiety about the nation's fate and grief as the toll of death mounted, Lincoln never lost faith in the ultimate triumph of God's will. "Let us diligently apply the

means, never doubting that a just God, in his own good time, will give us the rightful result."

His great second inaugural address, rooted in a Biblical understanding of God and history, includes 14 references to God, four direct quotations from the Bible and other Scriptural allusions. In it, he termed slavery "an offense" to God's justice that had brought on this "terrible war" to purge

the wrong. "Fondly do we hope — fervently do we pray — that this mighty scourge of war may speedily pass away. Yet, if God wills that it continue, until all the wealth piled by the bondsmen's two hundred and fifty years of unrequited toil shall be sunk, and until every drop of blood drawn with the lash, shall be paid with another drawn with the sword, as was

said three thousand years ago, so still it must be said, 'the judgments of the Lord are true and righteous altogether.'"

Yet Lincoln also urged mercy and healing. "With malice toward none, with charity for all, with firmness in the right, as God gives us to see the right, let us strive on to finish the work we are in."

That spring, the war was over. A few days later, Lincoln

held of a premonitory dream about White House mourning over his coffin. At Ford's theater that night, he was assassinated. Shortly before, he had written:

"I claim not to have controlled events, but confess plainly that events have controlled me. God alone can claim it."

Tomorrow:
The Modern Period

Third In A Series

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Lincoln said his aim was to be "an humble instrument in the hands of the Almighty." He disagreed with numerous callers, including clergy, who expressed hope for God to be on "our side." That wasn't Lincoln's concern, he said, "for I know the Lord is always on the side of right."

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Deeply Religious Lincoln Never Belonged To Church

By **GEORGE W. CORNELL**
AP Religion Writer

Out of his rustic origins, his native wisdom, the Biblical grain of his thinking and the fiery trial of the nation, Abraham Lincoln emerges as the most deeply religious of American presidents.

He never belonged to a church. His faith was not a set of creeds or formulas. But his mind and spirit radiated the fundamental essence of religion, an awareness of acting under the surpassing rightness

world from without, but working inexorably, inscrutably within it, through the stumbling, ambiguous gropings of humanity.

"The purposes of the Almighty are perfect and must prevail, though we erring mortals may fail to accurately perceive them in advance," he said. At a low point in the war to preserve the Union, he wrote:

"I have desired that all my works and acts be according to His will, and that it might be so. I have sought His aid — but if, after endeavoring to do my best in the light which He affords me, I find my efforts fail, I must believe that for some purposes unknown to me, He wills it otherwise."

"If I had my way, this war would never have been commenced; if I had been allowed my way, this war would have ended before this, but we find it still continues; and we must believe that He permits it for some wise purpose of His own, mysterious and unknown to us."

From the days of his backwoods, rustic schooling, in which the reading lessons were from the Bible, he immersed himself in Scriptures, and often had a battered, old family Bible in his hand at the White House.

"It is the best gift God has given to man," he said.

Sometimes called an "atheist" or "baboon infidel," Lincoln was alternately pained or amused by it. He fit no

same thing at the same time." He said God's purpose may differ from that of either side, even though both serve as instrumentalities in effecting his ends.

"Both read the same Bible, and pray to the same God; and each invokes His aid against the other," Lincoln said. "It may seem strange that any men should dare to ask a just God's assistance in wringing their bread from the sweat of other men's brows. But let us not judge that we be not judged."

"The prayers of both could not be answered; that of neither was heard. The Almighty has his own purposes."

Yet to Lincoln, God was no mere impersonal, immutable power, but intimately active in persons and events. So strongly did Lincoln feel this that when he decided in 1862 to issue his proclamation emancipating slaves, he discussed it with his cabinet, then concluded in a low voice:

"I made a solemn vow before God, that if General Lee (the southern confederacy commander) was driven back from Pennsylvania, I would crown the result by the declaration of freedom to the slaves."

That emancipation proclamation came Jan. 1, 1863 — "a solemn recognition of responsibility before God and before men," Lincoln phrased it.

He himself had long opposed slavery, which he saw as denying God's intended destiny for the nation, a built-in contradiction to the law of its life. In the 1858 campaign debates with Stephen Douglas two years before Lincoln was elected president, he declared: "My ancient faith teaches me that 'all men are created equal'; and that there can be no moral right in connection with one man's making a slave of another." This, he said, is inherent in "the justice of the Creator to His creatures."

Nothing stamped with the divine image and likeness was sent into the world to be trodden on, and degraded, and imbruted by its fellows."

Yet Lincoln always expressed sorrow, not condemnation, toward the South in the conflict and was often attacked by radical abolitionists as being too mild.

Born in a Kentucky log cabin, he was reared in poverty. His family soon moved westward into the wilds of Indiana, where his farmer-carpenter father and stepmother helped start the Pigeon Creek Baptist Church, which he attended as a boy.

His total schooling amounted only to about one year but he read avidly from the Bible and borrowed books — Bunyan's "Pilgrim's Progress," Shakespeare, Aesop's Fables. He liked to write anti verses, and put down these lines on the death of a local character, a Kickapoo Indian:

"Here lies Johnny Kongapod
Have mercy on him, gracious God
As he would do if he was God
And you were Johnny Kongapod."

The doggerel indicated an aspect of Lincoln's religious conviction which he maintained through his life — that God intended the ultimate salvation of all men — a view most denominations sharply rejected. Lincoln had little use for the frontier fire-and-brimstone preachers, sometimes joking about them.

Moving farther west to Illinois, he split rails, did odd jobs, managed a mill, worked at stores, as a village postmaster, a surveyor, studying on his own for the law. He built a law practice in Springfield. Known as a story-teller, who usually had some folksy tale to make a point, he became a popular figure, served in the state legislature and eventually, in a sectionally torn nation, became president in 1861.

Three months later came the attack on Fort Sumter, and the four-year war was on. Surely, he wrote later, God "intends some great good to follow this mighty convulsion, which no mortal could make, and no mortal could stay."

Sometimes in the pitch of crises, Lincoln said he would go to his room, lock the door and get down on his knees and pray. His secretary, John

Nicolay, reported, "Mr. Lincoln was a praying man." Lincoln's wife, Mary Todd, joined the Presbyterian Church, as she had in Springfield, and he went with her to services, but never joined himself.

Coupled with his worries and serious religious reflections, however, was his humor. He called a laugh "good medicine," and encouraged it with homey anecdotes, including a story attributed to two Quaker women conversing on a train about Abraham Lincoln and Jefferson Davis, president of the southern confederacy.

One said, "I think Jefferson will succeed."

"Why does thee think so?" asked the other.

"Because Jefferson is a praying man."

"And so is Abraham a praying man."

"Yes, but the Lord will think Abraham is joking."

In a dark period of the war, Lincoln set April 30, 1863, as a national fast day, his proclamation for it sounding like a passage from the Book of Amos. It called both sides to their knees in repentance for "sins and transgressions" that have brought on the "awful calamity of this civil war."

"We have forgotten God," Lincoln said. "We have forgotten the gracious hand which preserved us in peace, and multiplied and enriched and strengthened us."

But in spite of his anxiety about the nation's fate and grief as the toll of death mounted, Lincoln never lost faith in the ultimate triumph of God's will. "Let us diligently apply the

means, never doubting that a just God, in his own good time, will give us the rightful result."

His great second inaugural address, rooted in a Biblical understanding of God and history, includes 14 references to God, four direct quotations from the Bible and other Scriptural allusions. In it, he termed slavery "an offense" to God's justice that had brought on this "terrible war" to purge

the wrong.

"Fondly do we hope — fervently do we pray — that this mighty scourge of war may speedily pass away. Yet, if God wills that it continue, until all the wealth piled by the bondsman's two hundred and fifty years of unrequited toil shall be sunk, and until every drop of blood drawn with the lash, shall be paid with another drawn with the sword, as was

said three thousand years ago, so still it must be said, 'the judgments of the Lord are true and righteous altogether.'"

Yet Lincoln also urged mercy and healing. "With malice toward none; with charity for all, with firmness in the right, as God gives us to see the right, let us strive on to finish the work we are in."

That spring, the war was over. A few days later, Lincoln

told of a premonitory dream about White House mourning over his coffin. At Ford's theater that night, he was assassinated. Shortly before, he had written:

"I claim not to have controlled events, but confess plainly that events have controlled me. God alone can claim it."

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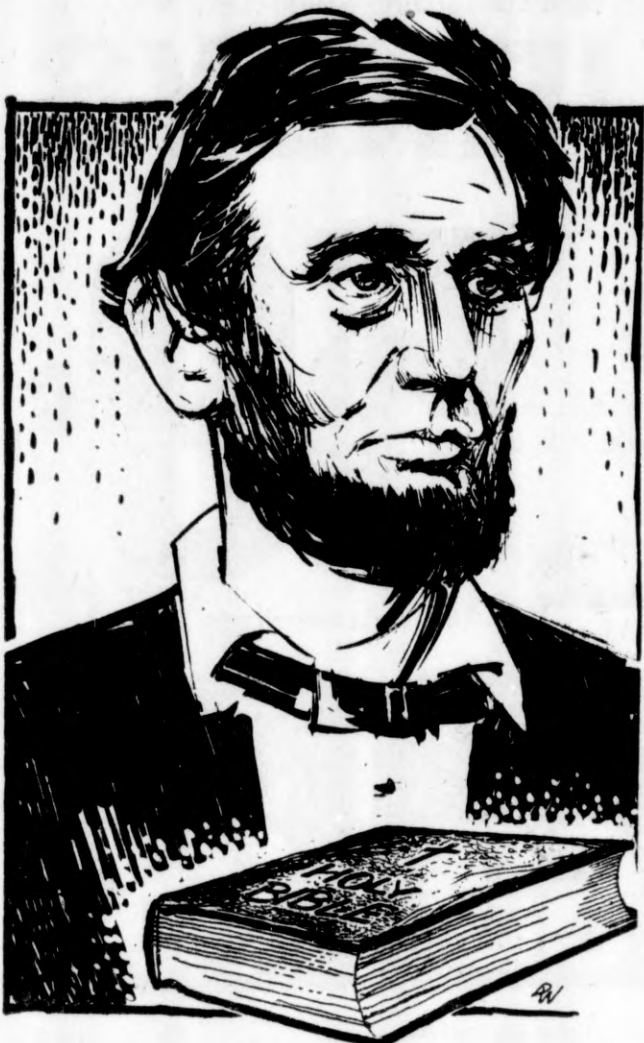
EDITOR'S NOTE: This third installment of a five-part Christmas series on the religion of U.S. presidents, "The Presidents and God," deals with Lincoln's view of God.

of the divine will.

"If I can learn what it is, I will do it," he said, subjecting himself — unpretentiously — to it.

He sensed an overruling objective and way to it that he himself could not fully make out. He saw his decisions measured against a sought-for but unclear greater truth. He was a man "under God."

In fact, he first applied those words to the United States in his Gettysburg address in the midst of the Civil War, urging high



resolve "that this nation, under God, shall have a new birth of freedom." The phrase now tempers the pledge of allegiance.

Lincoln said his aim was to be "an humble instrument in the hands of the Almighty." He disagreed with numerous callers, including clergy, who expressed hope for God to be on "our side." That wasn't Lincoln's concern, he said, "for I know the Lord is always on the side of right."

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Kathleen Still Has Ford In Her Future

Q: Have Cristina and Henry Ford II gotten a divorce yet? — G.L., Albany, N.Y.

A: Henry and Cristina are still wrangling over a settlement, with estimates of her demands as high as \$1 million. Henry would like the matter settled because he wants to marry 35-

new Mexican president — who got the preferential treatment. Rosalynn Carter, the next first lady, or Henry Kissinger, the current Secretary of State? — O.B., Barstow, Calif.

A: Well, our ambassador to Mexico, Joseph John Jova, had a time trying to figure out even the sleeping arrangements. He finally decided that Rosalynn would get the best suite, complete with huge dressing room and terrace overlooking a walled garden. Henry and Nancy had to settle for a more modest, though still elegant, bedroom.

WISH YOU'D ASKED THIS ONE: Why does soon-to-be-ex-Senator John Tunney think he lost his election last month? Tunney is still puzzling that one out. One reason, he's told friends, was his glib friendship with Ted Kennedy and "that damn jetsetter business." George McGovern had advised Tunney to go back to California and keep a high political profile, but Tunney told his staff that he doesn't want to go back into public office again but "wants to make some money for a change." Current plans are to either join a law firm or go into business and "make some bucks."

FAN MAIL: Ryan O'Neal wrote us the other day wondering why we're so critical of him. We really aren't trying to be rotten, just gossipy and, yes, maybe a little bit snippy. Trouble is that Ryan is such a wonderful and consummate lady's man that every tidbit we hear is worth passing along. For the record, we'd like to say that we think he's a fine actor and, yes, a charming man. How else could he capture all those terrific girls? (See, we've done it again!)

Q: Since nobody has said anything, I suppose Dean Martin is trying to keep quiet how much money he will have to pay Cathy Nantz with their divorce. As I remember, Cathy was always pretty acquisitive. — D.L., Brooklyn

A: Dean comes out of this split the winner. He'll have to pay Cathy \$5,000 a month but only for three years. Friends think that now that the decks are cleared he might go back to Jeanne, which she would like, since Los Angeles is no fun for a divorced woman. Jeanne was the perfect wife, wonderful with the children and tolerant of Dean's predilection for TV, golf, and occasional sprees.

Q: Was Liz Taylor well-liked by her costars in "A Little Night Music"?

A: Liz's habitual lateness can prove trying, even to the most understanding of professionals. Costar Hermione Gingold was particularly upset until Liz gift-

ed her with an expensive antique locket. At first, Hermione felt insulted, thinking the present reflected on her age — she's pushing 80. But when she found out Liz had forked over several thousand dollars for the gift, Hermione decided she didn't care how late the star arrived on the set, since Liz was such a generous person. It seems Taylor wants nothing more than to be loved by her peers, referring to herself as "only a dedicated amateur."

And while she can't seem to discipline herself about such matters as tardiness and time-consuming attention to makeup and corsets for her period costumes, Liz does try to make amends by extravagant gift-giving.

Q: What's happened with that film biography of Howard Hughes? — M.M., Tucson

A: Warren Beatty says he's out — too busy with other movie projects at present — so a British television production company has beaten the Hollywood studios to the punch with a film they're now shooting called "Howard, the Amazing Mr. Hughes." It stars an unknown actor, Tommy Lee Jones, who very much resembles the tall, dark, moustached mystery man.

Q: Who's President Ford's real estate agent? I hear he try-



TUNNEY: He wants to make some money

ing to sell his old home in Washington for \$137,000. — J.D., Fort Lauderdale

A: The President's agent is none other than Susan Goldwater, daughter-in-law of Sen. Barry Goldwater. Up to now, she has been thinking it will be a bright day for her when she closes a deal on the house. But life has suddenly taken a sad

turn for Susan. She and her husband, Barry Junior, just split.

Robin Adams Sloan welcomes questions from readers. While Sloan cannot provide individual answers, questions of general interest will be used in the column. Write to Robin Adams Sloan, care of this newspaper.

PEOPLE

By Robin Adams Sloan

year-old Kathleen Dukoss, a former Detroit model. You remember Kathleen: She was with Ford when he was arrested last February in Santa Barbara, Calif. for drunken driving.

Q: At the big diplomatic bash — the recent inauguration of the



HENRY FORD Kathleen's on his mind

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James W. Smith, 44, and Gertrude Eita Martin, 45, both of Union Pier.
William Francis Nutt, 20, and Carol Jean Kolm, 18, both of Benton Springs.
Gary Lee Merrill, 19, North Lake, Ill., and Wendy Marie Wilson, 19, St. Joseph.
Elmer Carl Phillips, 28, and Winifred Norman, 24, both of Benton Harbor.
Daniel Earle Liston, 21, Berrien Springs, and Susan Martha Angel, 21, Bridgman.
Steven Carl Juroff, 19, Great Lakes, Ill., and Kathleen Tavorai, 17, Benton Harbor.
Euwyn Gerald Bacchus, 24, Maidstone, Ontario, and

Marlene Afanador, 24, Berrien Springs.
Steven Bryan McCoy, 18, and April Diane Congdon, 17, both of Coloma.
David Stanislaus Laskowski, 25, and Marsha Kay Morgan, 24, both of New Buffalo.
Oliver Dohner, 34, and Marty Rae Turner, 24, both of New Buffalo.
Wayne Eugene Hawkins, 27, and Susan Kay Meyers, 23, both of Niles.
David Eugene Wright, 19, and Quin Elie Oehenryder, 21, both of Niles.
Raymond Edward Wirant, 40, Niles, and Alison Maybell Leventoski, 37, Buchanan.
Michael C. McNeley, 27, and Marcella Rae Williams, 26, both of Niles.
Bruce Frederick Schramm, 24, and Deborah Jean Burgess, 20, both of Berrien Springs.
Bryan Kent Hurt, 19, and Susan Lynn Weaver, 19, both of Berrien Springs.
Tito P. Martinez, 53, Taos, N.M., and Elvira Solis, 44, St. Joseph.
William Lloyd Winans, 34, Benton Harbor, and Toni Marie Hill, 18, Fostoria, Ohio.
Eldon Lee Green, 32, and Vickie Louise Florey, 24, both of Buchanan.
Russell Lee Reid, 18, and Shirley Renee Johnson, 18, both of Niles.
David William Pollock, 19, and Ingrid Lillian Abo, 23, both of Niles.
John Dee Brown, Jr., 23, and Debbie Jean Schram, 21, both of Niles.
Jerome Clayton Scott, 23, Stevensville, and Mary Ann Scherrer, 20, St. Joseph.
John Michael Cronk, 22, New Buffalo, and Rebecca Sue Lowe, 20, Three Oaks.
Cecil Whitlow, Jr., 22, and Bettie Jean Gledge, 20, both of Benton Harbor.
James Myran Lamp, 32, Watervliet, and Lois Jean Walker, 21, Coloma.
James Edard Price, 46, Benton Harbor, and Mary Ellen McRee, 44, Coloma.
Jessie Dee Shipman, 55, and Joan Hughes, 23, both of Benton Harbor.
Gerald Elton Olesby, 30, and Anita Jean Davis, 26, both of Benton Harbor.
Raymond Dwayne Akers, 19, and Cynthia Susan Dickson, 16, both of Berrien Center.
Robert Paul Tompkins, 20, Benton Harbor, and Marlene Ann Sprague, 20, Coloma.
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Thomas Royal Kasprzak, 24, Niles, and Lee Ann Peterson, 21, South Bend.

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Marlin Dunkle, 39, Plainwell, and Paulette McGovern, 34, Otsego.
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Roger Evink, 23, and Kathryn Brandon, 26, both of Otsego.
Dennis Simkins, 19, and Vivian Sumner, 17, both of Pullman.
Kevin Sluis, 18, and Pamela Bogard, 19, both of Saugatuck.
Richard Bidwell, 37, and Alberta Crawford, 39, both of Hamilton.
Jerry Cottrell, 27, and Louann DeCheney, 23, both of South Haven.

Flu Shots Hike Price Of Eggs

NEW YORK (AP) — Another side effect of the ill-fated swine flu immunization program has been revealed with a report of city purchasing agents that eggs went up five cents a dozen because of the campaign.

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Kathleen Still Has Ford In Her Future

Q: Have Cristina and Henry Ford II gotten a divorce yet? — G.L., Albany, N.Y.

A: Henry and Cristina are still wrangling over a settlement, with estimates of her demands as high as \$4 million. Henry would like the matter settled because he wants to marry 35-

new Mexican president — who got the preferential treatment, Rosalynn Carter, the next first lady, or Henry Kissinger, the current Secretary of State? — O.B., Barstow, Calif.

A: Well, our ambassador to Mexico, Joseph John Jova, had a time trying to figure out even the sleeping arrangements. He finally decided that Rosalynn would get the best suite, complete with huge dressing room and terrace overlooking a walled garden. Henry and Nancy had to settle for a more modest, though still elegant, bedroom.

WISH YOU'D ASKED THIS ONE: Why does soon-to-be-Senator John Tunney think he lost his election last month?

Tunney is still puzzling that one out. One reason, he's told friends, was his good friendship with Ted Kennedy and "that damn jetsetter business." George McGovern had advised Tunney to go back to California and keep a high political profile, but Tunney told his staff that he doesn't want to go back into public office again but "wants to make some money for a change." Current plans are to either join a law firm or go into business and "make some bucks."

FAN MAIL: Ryan O'Neal wrote us the other day wondering why we're so critical of him. We really aren't trying to be rotten, just gossipy and, yes, maybe a little bit snippy. Trouble is that Ryan is such a wonderful and consummate lady's man that every tidbit we hear is worth passing along. For the record, we'd like to say that we think he's a fine actor and, yes, a charming man. How else could he capture all those terrific girls? (See, we've done it again!)

Q: Since nobody has said anything, I suppose Dean Martin is trying to keep quiet how much alimony he will have to pay Cathy Hawn with their divorce. As I remember, Cathy was always pretty acquisitive. — D.L., Brooklyn

A: Dean comes out of this split the winner. He'll have to pay Cathy \$5,000 a month but only for three years. Friends think that now that the decks are cleared he might go back to Jeanne, which she would like, since Los Angeles is no fun for a divorced woman. Jeanne was the perfect wife, wonderful with the children and tolerant of Dean's predilection for TV, golf, and occasional spees.

Q: Was Liz Taylor well-liked by her costars in "A Little Night Music"?

A: Liz's habitual lateness can prove trying, even to the most understanding of professionals. Costar Hermione Gingold was particularly upset until Liz gift-

ed her with an expensive antique jorgnette. At first, Hermione felt insulted, thinking the present reflected on her age — she's pushing 80. But when she found out Liz had forked

over several thousand dollars for the gift, Hermione decided she didn't care how late the star arrived on the set, since Liz was such a generous person. It seems Taylor wants nothing

more than to be loved by her peers, referring to herself as "only a dedicated amateur." And while she can't seem to discipline herself about such matters as tardiness and time-consuming attention to makeup and corsets for her period costumes, Liz does try to make amends by extravagant gift-giving.

Q: What's happened with that film biography of Howard Hughes? — M.M., Tucson

A: Warren Beatty says he's out — too busy with other movie projects at present — so a British television production company has beaten the Hollywood studios to the punch with a film they're now shooting called "Howard, the Amazing Mr. Hughes." It stars an unknown actor, Tommy Lee Jones, who very much resembles the tall, dark, moustached mystery man.

Q: Who's President Ford's real estate agent? I hear he try-



TUNNEY: He wants to make some money

ing to sell his old home in Washington for \$137,000. — J.D., Fort Lauderdale

A: The President's agent is none other than Susan Goldwater, daughter-in-law of Sen. Barry Goldwater. Up to now, she has been thinking it will be a bright day for her when she closes a deal on the house. But life has suddenly taken a sad

turn for Susan. She and her husband, Barry Junior, just split.

Robin Adams Sloan welcomes questions from readers. While Sloan cannot provide individual answers, questions of general interest will be used in the column. Write to Robin Adams Sloan, care of this newspaper.

PEOPLE

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year-old Kathleen DuRoss, a former Detroit model. You remember Kathleen: She was with Ford when he was arrested last February in Santa Barbara, Calif. for drunken driving.

Q: At the big diplomatic bash — the recent inauguration of the



HENRY FORD
Kathleen's on his mind

Marriage Licenses Issued In Berrien

The following marriage licenses have been issued by Berrien County Clerk Forrest H. Kester:

- James W. Smith, 44, and Gertrude Elita Martin, 45, both of Union Pier.
- William Francis Nutt, 20, and Carol Jean Kolm, 18, both of Berrien Springs.
- Gary Lee Merritt, 19, North Lake, Ill., and Wendy Marie Wilson, 19, St. Joseph.
- Elmer Carl Phillips, 28, and Winifred Norman, 24, both of Benton Harbor.
- Daniel Earle Liston, 21, Berrien Springs, and Susan Martha Angel, 21, Bridgman.
- Steven Carl Juroff, 19, Great Lakes, Ill., and Kathleen Tavolacci, 17, Benton Harbor.
- Erwin Gerald Baechus, 24, Maidstone, Ontario, and

Marlene Afanador, 24, Berrien Springs.

Steven Bryan McCoy, 19, and April Diane Congdon, 17, both of Coloma.

David Stanislaus Laskowski, 25, and Marsha Kay Morgan, 24, both of New Buffalo.

Oliver Dohner, 34, and Marty Rae Turner, 24, both of New Buffalo.

Wayne Eugene Hawkins, 27, and Susan Kay Meyers, 23, both of Niles.

David Eugene Wright, 19, and Quin Ette Ochenryder, 21, both of Niles.

Raymond Edward Wirant, 40, Niles, and Alison Maybell Levendoski, 37, Buchanan.

Michael C. McNelly, 27, and Marcia Rae Williams, 26, both of Niles.

Bruce Frederick Schramm, 24, and Deborah Jean Burgess, 20, both of Berrien Springs.

Bryan Kent Hurt, 19, and Susan Lynn Weaver, 19, both of Berrien Springs.

Tito P. Martinez, 53, Taos, N.M., and Elvira Solis, 44, St. Joseph.

William Lloyd Winans, 24, Benton Harbor, and Toni Marie Hill, 18, Fostoria, Ohio.

Eldon Lee Green, 32, and Vickie Louise Florey, 24, both of Buchanan.

Russell Lee Reid, 18, and Shirley Renee Johnson, 18, both of Niles.

David William Pollock, 19, and Ingrid Lillian Aho, 23, both of Niles.

John Dee Brown, Jr., 23, and Debbie Jean Schram, 21, both of Niles.

Jerome Clayton Scott, 23, Stevensville, and Mary Ann Scherrer, 20, St. Joseph.

John Michael Cronk, 22, New Buffalo, and Rebecca Sue Lowe, 20, Three Oaks.

Cecil Whitlow, Jr., 22, and Bettie Jean Gilledge, 20, both of Benton Harbor.

James Myran Lamp, 32, Watervliet, and Lois Jean Walker, 23, Coloma.

James Edard Price, 46, Benton Harbor, and Mary Ellen McRee, 44, Coloma.

Jessie Dee Shipman, 55, and Joan Hughes, 23, both of Benton Harbor.

Gerald Elton Oglesby, 30, and Anita Jean Davis, 26, both of Benton Harbor.

Raymond Dwayne Akers, 19, and Cynthia Susan Dickson, 16, both of Berrien Center.

Robert Paul Tompkins, 20, Benton Harbor, and Marlene Ann Sprague, 20, Coloma.

Henry Exposito, 22, and Vicki Jayne Laolagi, 20, both of Berrien Springs.

Ronald Frederick Mobley, 21, and Sheila Denise Jackson, 18, both of Benton Harbor.

Andrew Lee Grenert, 23, Niles, and Debra Ann Draper, 22, Buchanan.

Thomas Royal Kasprzak, 24, Niles, and Lee Ann Peterson, 21, South Bend.

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- Roger Evink, 23, and Kathryn Brandon, 26, both of Otsego.
- Dennis Simkins, 19, and Vivian Sumerix, 17, both of Pullman.
- Kevin Sluis, 18, and Pamela Bogard, 19, both of Saugatuck.
- Richard Bidwell, 37, and Alberta Crawford, 39, both of Hamilton.
- Jerry Cottrell, 27, and Louann DeCheney, 23, both of South Haven.

Flu Shots Hike Price Of Eggs

NEW YORK (AP) — Another side effect of the ill-fated swine flu immunization program has been revealed with a report of city purchasing agents that eggs went up five cents a dozen because of the campaign.

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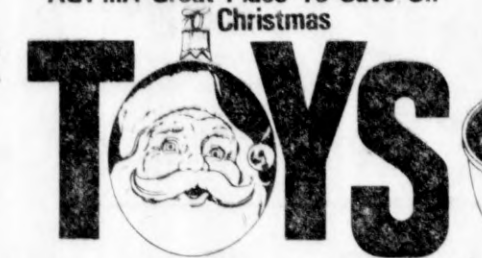
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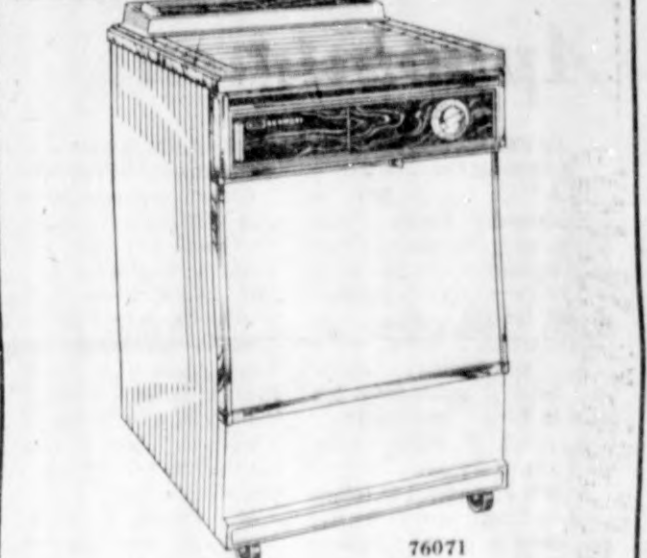
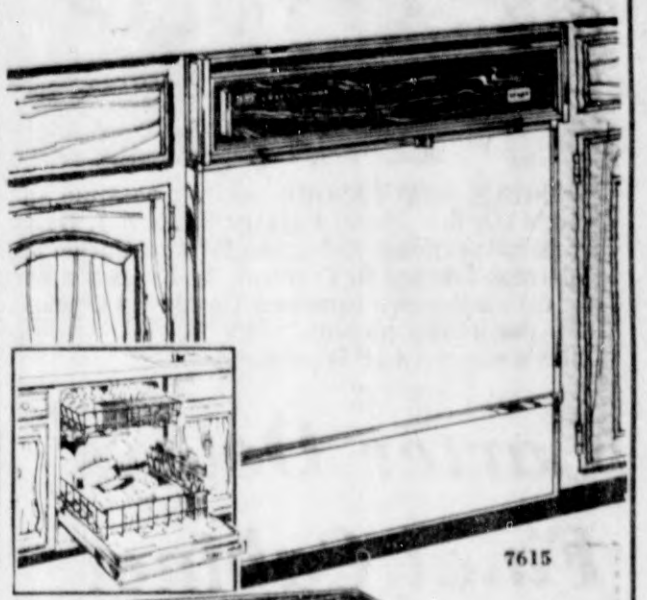
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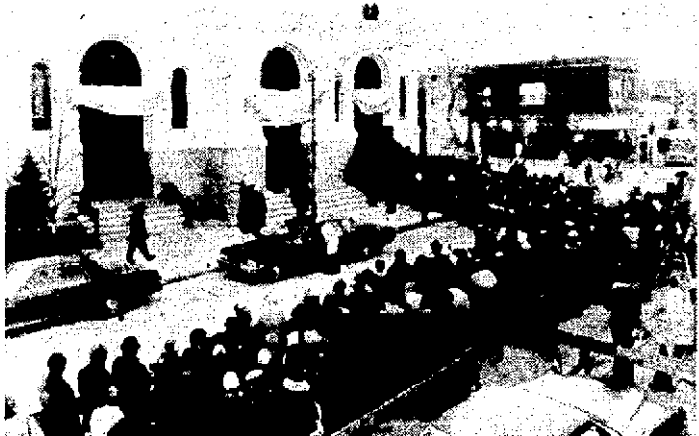
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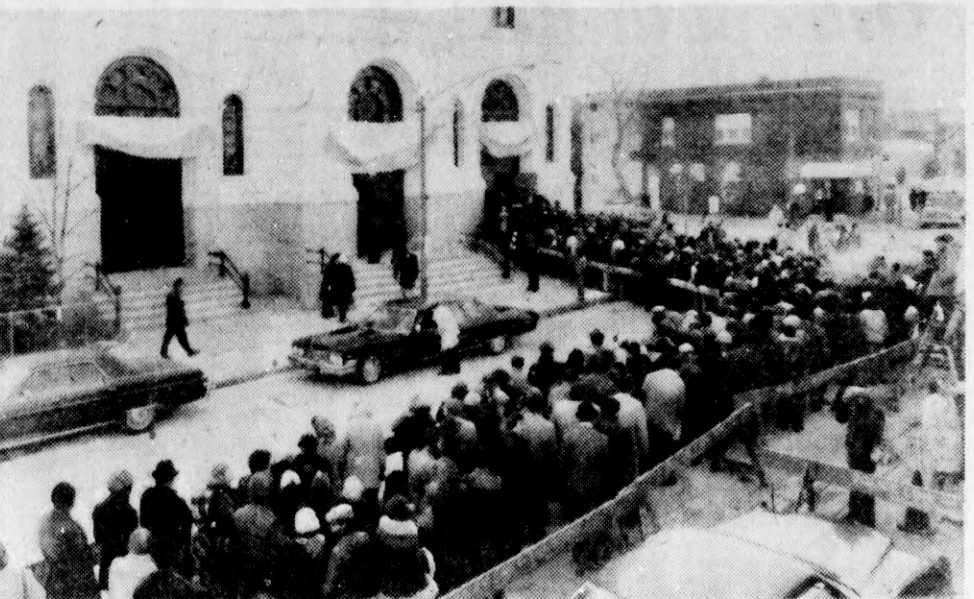
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The black community can no longer be taken for granted by the machine. Blacks proved that in re-electing U.S. Rep. Ralph H. Metcalfe in the March primary over a Daley-backed candidate in the South Side 1st congressional district.

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This Evening

Tomorrow

WJSM Morning Report
WJSM-FM Morning Report
WJSM Morning Show
WJSM-FM News
WJSM News; Breakfast Club
8:30 a.m.
WJSM Mike Berjak—Music
WJSM-FM Jamie Bala—Country Music
WJSM-FM Reissue Page
9 a.m.
WJSM News
WJSM Price Flood Show
WJSM Sound Off
9:30 a.m.
WJSM Sound Off
WJSM Music—Dove Marshall
WJSM Sound Off
WJSM-FM WAUS Reader
10 a.m.
WJSM News
WJSM-FM This Day in History
WJSM South Show
WJSM Morning Show
11 a.m.
WJSM News
WJSM-FM Music
WJSM Ralph Emery

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IN GREAT GRAMPA'S DAY, HE WORKED LIKE A HORSE TO BUY A CAR...

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910 REVOLVA

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YOU START THE FIRST CHAPTER SIR AND I'LL HOLD ONTO YOUR HEAD!

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This Evening

22 Mike Douglas
13 Bewitched
5 p.m.
7 After School Special
8 Partridge Family
9 McHale's Navy
16 Emergency One!
5:30 p.m.
8 Brady Bunch
9! Dream of Jeannie
5,13,28 News
6 p.m.
3,2,5,7,8,13,28 News
9 Bewitched
6:30 p.m.
2,3,7,8,22 News
9 Andy Griffith
13 Adam 12
28 Gunsmoke
7 p.m.
2,5,8,22 News
3 Concentration
9 Dick Van Dyke
13 Cross-Wits
16 Ironside
7:30 p.m.
2, News
8 Let's Make A Deal

Tomorrow

8 a.m.
 2 News
 3.22 Captain Kangaroo
 5.8, 16 Today Show
 7.13, 28 Good Morning America
 9 Ray Rayner
9 a.m.
 2 Captain Kangaroo
 3 Channel 3 Clubhouse
 8 Buck Mathews
 13 Movie
 5 Today Show
 16 Family Affair
 22 Dorothy Frisk
 28 Phil Donahue
9:30 a.m.
 3 Accent
 8 Not For Women Only
 9 Howdy Doody

WHFB
ABC AFFILIATE
1060 ON DIAL

3:05—The Chuck Campbell Show
3:30—News Round-Up
3:40—Sportscast
4:00—ABC News
4:25—Local Headlines
4:30—ABC Paul Harvey
4:50—Campbell W/Sports
5:00—Major Eve. News W/Kelly
5:15—Sign-Off
TOMORROW
7:15—Sign-On Morning Show
W/J.J. Allison
News/Weather/
Music/Talk
7:30—Local News
7:35—Sports Page
8:00—Major News Cast
W/Cronkright
8:15—Weathercast
8:20—Earl Nightingale
8:35—ABC's Howard Cosell
8:30—Paul Harvey News
9:00—ABC News
9:30—Local Headlines
10:00—ABC News
10:30—Voice of the People
11:30—ABC News
11:35—Readerline Guest
11:45—Want Ads
12:00 NOON—Major News Cast
12:17—Farm "30" W/Kelly
12:45—Paul Harvey Show

WHFB-FM
Stereo 100

3:00—Together
5:45—Major Newscast
6:00—Earl Nightingale
6:05—Touching
6:15—Stock Market Reports
8:45—Community Communique
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LA Mayor's Daughter Arrested

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Phyllis Bradley was taken in to custody on a charge of possessing dangerous drugs after an early morning chase through city streets Monday.

Officers said they found the animal tranquilizer P.C.P., known as "angel dust," in her purse when they stopped her car.

She was released on \$500 bond after paying a \$65 fine on an old traffic warrant.

In 1973, Miss Bradley pleaded guilty to a charge of being under the influence of drugs.

Heavy Hail

OMAHA, Neb. (AP) — Probably the largest hailstones on record fell in this state in 1928. They were 17 inches around and weighed 1½ pounds.

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MAY I RE...

NANCY

WINTHROP

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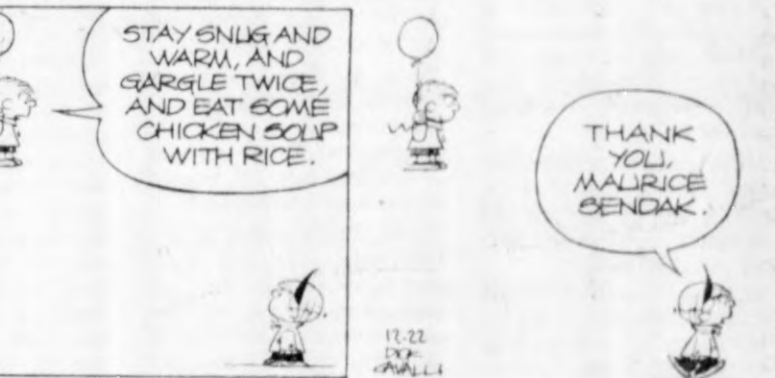
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FRANK AND I ENJOYED HAVING YOU, DON

JUDGE PARKER

WHAT IS THIS? ARE YOU THE JUDGE AND JURY... CONVICTING AND SENTENCING ME?

TAKE IT EASY, GARY! IT'S YOUR OWN GOOD!



NEWS OF MARKETS

Stocks
Continue
Advance

NEW YORK (AP)—The stock market pushed ahead today, resuming Tuesday's rally.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrial stocks rose about 3 points in the early going, and gainers took a 2-1 lead over losers among New York Stock Exchange-listed issues.

Trading was brisk. Analysts said the strength the market showed in Tuesday's session had stirred up some excitement among investors.

They also noted a generally favorable news background. On Tuesday the Labor Department reported that its consumer price index rose at a relatively restrained rate of 0.3 per cent in November.

Today's prices included U.S. Steel, up 1/2 at 50 1/2; Weyerhaeuser, ahead 3/4 at 44 1/4; and RCA, up 1/4 at 26.

On Tuesday the Dow Jones industrial average gained 5.98 to 978.39, reversing a decline of more than 11 points over the three previous sessions.

Gainers outpaced losers by about a 5-4 margin on the NYSE, and the exchange's composite index added .27 to 56.17.

Big Board volume picked up to 24.39 million shares.

At the American Stock Exchange, the market value index was up .38 at 104.32.

Robotron
Corp. Sale
Proposed

CLEVELAND (AP)—An agreement in principle has been reached for the purchase of the Detroit-based Robotron Corp. by Midland-Ross Corp., officials said.

The proposed acquisition is subject to approval of the board of directors of Midland-Ross and the shareholders of Robotron, officials said. The cash amount of the acquisition was not disclosed.

Robotron is a privately held company with annual sales of \$6.5 million. It manufactures induction heating equipment and electronic controls for electric resistance welding machinery.

Midland-Ross is a diversified manufacturer of capital goods, castings, electric products and mechanical controls. Its 1975 sales were \$410 million.

Midland-Ross officials said Robotron's manufacturing activities would be continued at its existing location under present management after the transaction is completed. They said the Detroit-based firm would be operated as part of the surface combustion division of Midland-Ross.

Wayland
Livestock Market

DATE: Dec. 21, 1976

STEERS AND HEIFERS

Good, To \$40.75;
Commercial, To \$35.00;
Common, To \$30.00;
Feeders, To \$28.00.

COWS

Top, To \$27.00;
Canners & Cutters, To \$23.00.

BULLS

To \$30.00.

VEAL

Top, To \$70.00;
Medium, To \$50.00;
Common, To \$40.00;
Deacons, \$40.00 and down.

HOGS

180 lbs. to 220 lbs., To \$11.00;
220 lbs. to 250 lbs., To \$9.00;
Roughs, \$8.00 and down.
Feeder pigs, To \$47.00.

SHEEP

Lambs, To \$45.50.

LOCAL GRAIN

BUCHANAN CO-OP

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No. 1 Soybeans, \$6.44, up 4c.
New Wheat, \$2.26, up 4c.
No. 2 Barley, \$1.54, steady.
No. 2 Ear Corn, \$2.09, steady.
No. 2 Shelled Corn, \$2.14, steady.
No. 2 Wheat, \$2.33, up 1c.
Oats, \$1.60, steady.
Rye, No Bid.
Corn for Jan. '77 delivery, \$2.17, steady.

These are the markets as of this morning — prior to the opening of the Chicago Board of Trade.

New York Stocks

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Chrysler To
Hire 1,000
At Arsenal

DETROIT (AP)—Chrysler Corp. said Tuesday it will beef up its work force to handle the biggest backlog of tank orders since the Korean conflict.

Officials said 1,000 workers will be added next year to the current 1,800 employees at the Detroit Arsenal in Warren.

Under its agreement with the United Auto Workers, Chrysler has to offer the jobs first to workers laid off at other Chrysler plants in the area. No new job applications will be taken until the list of laid-off workers is exhausted, the firm said.

The Chrysler tank arsenal is the only facility in the country building medium-sized combat tanks.

Oliver White, general manager of the Chrysler tank facility, said the plant is slated to build 2,753 M-60A1 tanks through March 1979, under a \$600 million contract with the defense department. The project also calls for 13 pilot models of a new XM1 main battle tank to be built at Warren with initial production of the new weapons at Lima, Ohio, in 1979 under a \$4.7 billion contract.

Chrysler won the XM1 contract in competition with General Motors Corp. last month.

An Army spokesman said the M60 tanks will go to U.S. armed forces and some foreign countries.

Woman
Hurt In
Collision

A passenger in a car received apparently minor injuries Tuesday in a car-truck, head-on collision about 1:15 p.m. on South Euclid avenue north of Napier avenue, Benton township police said.

The injured passenger, Robin Stakley, 22, Philadelphia, Pa., was in a car driven by Robert Howard Stakley, 21, of 2088 East Empire avenue, Benton township, who was unhurt. Robin Stakley sought her own medical treatment, police reported.

Driver of the truck was identified as Darrrell Robert Wendi, 21, of 3564 Iliawatha drive, Stevensville, Ill., was unhurt. Police said Stakley was ticketed for having no proof of insurance. Police said the road was snow covered at the time.

Waterliet
Hospital

ADMISSIONS
WATERLIET — Patients admitted to Waterliet Community hospital during the past 24 hours include:

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Covert — Thomas Monroe, P.O. Box 303; Vanessa Purnell, route 1, Box 166.

Boycott
Against
Coffee
Stirring

ROYAL OAK, Mich. (AP)—A coffee price rebellion is brewing in south Oakland County.

At least two stores in the Detroit suburb of Royal Oak have posted signs urging customers not to buy coffee because the price has topped \$7 for three pounds.

"Coffee prices will go down — buy tea and see," reads the sign.

Big Coffee
Roaster To
Boost Price

NEW YORK (AP)—General Foods Corp., the nation's largest coffee roaster, said it will raise the wholesale price of its Maxwell House coffee by 20 cents per pound on Jan. 3. The increase to \$2.91 per pound, wholesale, roughly matches price hikes announced earlier this month by other roasters, including Procter & Gamble Co.'s Folger Coffee Co., the nation's second biggest coffee company. "The reason for higher prices hasn't changed in a year and a half," said a General Foods spokesman, referring to the destruction by frost of a large part of Brazil's coffee production a few years ago. "The cost of green coffee beans continues to rise. It's gone up 200 per cent for us since July 1975," he said.

at Tom Violante's Holiday Market. Violante says he's been urging the boycott for nearly three months.

George and Mike Yatomas, owners of the Community Food Center, put up signs more than a week ago endorsing a boycott.

"Last year, sugar made its killing. It's coffee's turn this year," said George Yatomas. "Shoppers boycotted sugar and meat and brought the prices down. They should do it again for coffee," he added.

Violante agreed. He said, when prices soared last year, he erected similar signs asking customers not to purchase meat.

Coffee importers blame a 1975 frost that destroyed many coffee trees in Brazil, a major U.S. supplier, for the price hikes. Violante said he had been told it will take about three years before coffee trees planted after the killing frost produce beans.

A statement issued by the state Department of Agriculture Monday estimated normal coffee production would resume by 1978.

Both Royal Oak stores continue to stock coffee, however, despite their boycott suggestions. Violante said he bought ahead and put a large supply in his warehouse because "I'm a merchant. I've got to make a living."

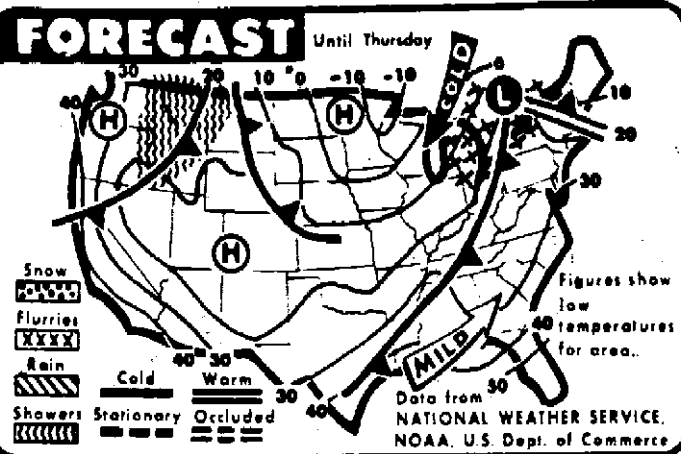
And, he said, his store is still selling "a lot of coffee." But he swears he will stop selling the beverage "when it hits \$3 a pound." He predicted prices could climb that high by February.

"The American housewife should tell them (coffee producers)," Violante said. "Those guys in Brazil are ripping us off."

South Haven
Hospital

SOUTH HAVEN — Patients admitted to South Haven Community hospital yesterday included John Daggett, Henry McGuire, Sr., Daniel Schlaack, all South Haven; Harry Farley, Cecil Funk, Paul Martensen, all Bangor; Clarence Krumlauf, Grand Junction; Michael Waters, Bloomington; Miss Laura Worden, Paw Paw.

BIRTH
A girl weighing 6 pounds, 13 ounces, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Webb Heard, South Haven, at 10:23 p.m. Sunday.



TODAY'S WEATHER MAP: Somewhat warmer temperatures are forecast today for Gulf and Atlantic coast states, but colder weather is expected for the Plains. Snow is forecast from the Great Lakes to New England. Showers are forecast in the Northwest. Mild weather is expected for the West. (AP Wirephoto)

Decatur Will Seek
Grant Of \$400,000

DECATUR — The village of Decatur is seeking a federal community development grant of up to \$400,000, according to Clerk Harry Schmidt. The village council, at a special meeting Monday night, voted to apply to the federal Department of Housing and Urban Development for the grant, Schmidt said. If approved, it would be used to purchase property for a new water well and parking area, to blacktop existing parking areas, and for other improvements.

Last year, the village received an \$83,000 grant under the same program. The Berrien Springs consulting firm of Leslie Cripps and Associates has been contracted to prepare the grant application. In another matter, the council Monday voted to purchase a parking area on East Delaware street from the Harding's store for a price of \$10,000. Of that amount, \$7,500 will be paid from last year's community development grant and the remainder will be paid from village funds.

DEPOSITS INCREASED

New Buffalo Names
New Water Chief

NEW BUFFALO — The New Buffalo city council acting as the city water board last night appointed a new water superintendent and approved an increase on water service deposits for renters and land contract buyers.

Gerald Crutsch was appointed water superintendent replacing Edward Hand who resigned the position last month. Crutsch who was serving as assistant water superintendent will receive an annual salary of \$12,000 in his new position.

Deposit required for water service was increased from \$50 to \$75 for renters and land contract buyers. The board decided the increase was necessary after being informed by the city clerk in October that the city was losing money when renters would move out without paying their final water bill. In action as the city council, a request for a zoning variance at 315 Mechanic street, which would allow for the operation of a beauty shop in the home was returned to Glenn Murray and Charlene Yunger for clarification of the wording. The council extended 1976 vacations into 1977 for the city manager and city mechanic. Without council approval, city employees automatically lose accumulation of vacation days at the end of the year.

The council approved paying Bertrand Shedd \$1,500 for his assessing work during the second half of 1976 and tabling appointment of a city assessor until next month.

The council approved buying a police car for \$4,995 from Bosak Motor Sales, Gary, Ind. William Marx, city manager, told the council that the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad has agreed to pay for the railroad crossing and street pavement repairs at the Clay and Bell streets crossings.

Memorial
Hospital

ADMITTED

St. Joseph — Mrs. Herman Fanslau, 406 North street; Peter D. Holt, 2608 Morton avenue; Mrs. Ronald F. Katowich, 3744 Lane court; Mrs. Ernest L. Knuth, 1927 Hawthorne; and Sharon L. Loewen, 508 Jones.

Benton Harbor — Sandra L. Cheshire, 5227 East Britain; Hartley W. Collins Jr., 3310 Riverside road; and Charles E. Lawton, 145 Kline.

Bangor — Harry A. Minshall, route 2.

Berrien Springs — Sarah B. Conard, 661 Grove.

Hartford — Mark P. Kellogg, 60th avenue.

Coloma — Danie M. Dorstewitz, route 1.

Eau Claire — Arthur Schaefer, route 1.

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Benton Harbor — A boy weighing 9 pounds, 1 ounce, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Myers, 1184 Beverly court, Tuesday at 3:29 p.m.

A boy weighing 7 pounds, 11 ounces, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Wesner, 5439 Territorial road, Tuesday at 10:20 p.m

NEWS OF MARKETS

Stocks Continue Advance

NEW YORK (AP)—The stock market pushed ahead today, resuming Tuesday's rally.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrial stocks rose about 3 points in the early going, and gainers took a 2-1 lead over losers among New York Stock Exchange-listed issues.

Trading was brisk. Analysts said the strength the market showed in Tuesday's session had stirred up some excitement among investors.

They also noted a generally favorable news background. On Tuesday the Labor Department reported that its consumer price index rose at a relatively restrained rate of 0.3 per cent in November.

Today's prices included U.S. Steel, up 1/2 at 50 7/8; Weyerhaeuser, ahead 3/4 at 44 3/4; and RCA, up 1/8 at 26.

On Tuesday the Dow Jones industrial average gained 5.98 to 978.39, reversing a decline of more than 11 points over the three previous sessions.

Gainers outpaced losers by about a 5-4 margin on the NYSE, and the exchange's composite index added .27 to 56.17.

Big Board volume picked up to 24.39 million shares.

At the American Stock Exchange, the market value index was up .38 at 104.32.

Robotron Corp. Sale Proposed

CLEVELAND (AP) — An agreement in principle has been reached for the purchase of the Detroit-based Robatron Corp. by Midland-Ross Corp., officials said.

The proposed acquisition is subject to approval of the board of directors of Midland-Ross and the shareholders of Robatron, officials said. The cash amount of the acquisition was not disclosed.

Robatron is a privately held company with annual sales of \$6.5 million. It manufactures induction heating equipment and electronic controls for electric resistance welding machinery.

Midland-Ross is a diversified manufacturer of capital goods, castings, electric products and mechanical controls. Its 1975 sales were \$410 million.

Midland-Ross officials said Robatron's manufacturing activities would be continued at its existing location under present management after the transaction is completed. They said the Detroit-based firm would be operated as part of the surface combustion division of Midland-Ross.

Wayland

Livestock Market

DATE: Dec. 21, 1976

STEERS and HEIFERS

Good, To \$40.75;
Commercial, To \$35.50;
Common, To \$30.00;
Feeders, To \$38.00.

COWS

Top, To \$27.00;
Canners & Cutters, To \$23.00.

BULLS

To \$30.00.

VEAL

Top, To \$70.00;
Medium, To \$40.00;
Common, To \$30.00;
Deacons, \$40. and down.

HOGS

180 lbs. to 220 lbs., To \$41.00;
220 lbs. to 250 lbs., To \$39.00;
Roughs, \$30. and down.
Feeder Pigs, To \$47.00.

SHEEP

Lambs, To \$45.50.

LOCAL GRAIN

BUCHANAN CO-OP

BUCHANAN, MI.

No. 1 Soybeans, \$6.44, up 4c.
New Wheat, \$2.26, up 4c.
No. 2 Barley, \$1.54, steady.
No. 2 Ear Corn, \$2.09, steady.
No. 2 Shelled Corn, \$2.14, steady.

No. 2 Wheat, \$2.33, up 1c.
Oats, \$1.60, steady.
Rye, No Bid.
Corn for Jan. '77 delivery, \$2.17, steady.

These are the markets as of this morning — prior to the opening of the Chicago Board of Trade.

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39 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2	Int Tel & Tel	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
25 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	Kennecott	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
4 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	Kresge SS	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
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24 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	Minn. Mining	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2
31 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	Nat Gypsum	17	17	17	17
15 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	No. Central	4	4	4	4
25 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	Olin Corp	39	39	39	39
48 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2	Phil Pet	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2
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42	34 1/2	34 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	Reyn Met	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
22 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	Reyn Ind	65	65	65	65
59 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2	Sears Roeb	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
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161 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	Std Oil Ind	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
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LANSING, Mich. (AP) — House Republican leader Dennis Cawthorne says there's a chance he might support an income tax increase next year. Cawthorne, R-Manistee, whose minority House caucus took a stand opposing an income tax increase early this year, said he could support one if Gov. William Milliken proposed it. But a package of tax increases on cigarettes and alcohol would win more GOP support, he said. "Nuisance taxes would be more acceptable to Republicans because it is seen as more acceptable to the public than an income tax increase," he said, adding he disagrees with Democrats who say an income tax hike is inevitable. Cawthorne also said there is strong pressure for revisions in Michigan's controversial Single Business Tax. He said changes in the tax should be completed by the end of 1977.

Chrysler To Hire 1,000 At Arsenal

DETROIT (AP) — Chrysler Corp. said Tuesday it will beef up its work force to handle the biggest backlog of tank orders since the Korean conflict.

Officials said 1,000 workers will be added next year to the current 1,800 employees at the Detroit Arsenal in Warren.

Under its agreement with the United Auto Workers, Chrysler has to offer the jobs first to workers laid off at other Chrysler plants in the area. No new job applications will be taken until the list of laid-off workers is exhausted, the firm said.

The Chrysler tank arsenal is the only facility in the country building medium-sized combat tanks.

Oliver White, general manager of the Chrysler tank facility, said the plant is slated to build 2,753 M-60A1 tanks through March 1979, under a \$600 million contract with the defense department. The project also calls for 11 pilot models of a new XM1 main battle tank to be built at Warren with initial production of the new weapons at Lima, Ohio, in 1979 under a \$4.7 billion contract.

Chrysler won the XM1 contract in competition with General Motors Corp. last month.

An Army spokesman said the M60 tanks would be used by U.S. armed forces and some foreign countries.

Woman Hurt In Collision

A passenger in a car received apparently minor injuries Tuesday in a car-truck, head-on collision about 1:15 p.m. on South Euclid avenue north of Napier avenue, Benton township police said.

The injured passenger, Robin Stakley, 22, Philadelphia, Pa., was in a car driven by Robert Howard Stakley, 21, of 2088 East Empire avenue, Benton township, who was unhurt. Robin Stakley sought her own medical treatment, police reported.

Driver of the truck was identified as Darrell Robert Wendt, 21, of 5564 Hiawatha drive, Stevensville. He was unhurt. Police said Stakley was ticketed for having no proof of insurance. Police said the road was snow covered at the time.

Watervliet Hospital

ADMISSIONS

WATERVLIET — Patients admitted to Watervliet Community hospital during the past 24 hours include:

Coloma — Teena Sims, 335 West, Mrs. James Komrska, 4963 Paw Paw Lake road; Robert Forster, 274 Garfield; Dawn Hyland, 4710 Red Arrow highway.

Covert — Thomas Monroe, P.O. Box 303; Vanessa Purnell, route 1, Box 166.

Boycott Against Coffee Stirring

ROYAL OAK, Mich. (AP) — A coffee price rebellion is brewing in south Oakland County.

At least two stores in the Detroit suburb of Royal Oak have posted signs urging customers not to buy coffee because the price has topped \$7 for three pounds.

"Coffee prices will go down — buy tea and see," reads the sign.

Big Coffee Roaster To Boost Price

NEW YORK (AP) —

General Foods Corp., the nation's largest coffee roaster, said it will raise the wholesale price of its Maxwell House coffee by 2 cents per pound on Jan. 3. The increase to \$2.91 per pound wholesale roughly matches price hikes announced earlier this month by other roasters, including Procter & Gamble Co.'s Folger Coffee Co., the nation's second biggest coffee company. "The reason for higher prices hasn't changed in a year and a half," said a General Foods spokesman, referring to the destruction by frost of a large part of Brazil's coffee production a few years ago. "The cost of green coffee beans continues to rise. It's gone up 230 per cent for us since July 1975," he said.

at Tom Violante's Holiday Market. Violante says he's been urging the boycott for nearly three months.

George and Mike Yatooma, owners of the Community Food Center, put up signs more than a week ago endorsing a boycott. "Last year, sugar made its killing. It's coffee's turn this year," said George Yatooma. "Shoppers boycotted sugar and meat and brought the prices down. They should do it again for coffee," he added.

Violante agreed. He said when prices soared last year, he erected similar signs asking customers not to purchase meat.

Coffee importers blame a 1975 frost that destroyed many coffee trees in Brazil, a major U.S. supplier, for the price hikes. Violante said he had been told it will take about three years before coffee trees planted after the killing frost produce beans. A statement issued by the state Department of Agriculture Monday estimated normal coffee production would resume by 1978.

Both Royal Oak stores continue to stock coffee, however, despite their boycott suggestions. Violante said he bought ahead and put a large supply in his warehouse because "I'm a merchant. I've got to make a living."

And, he said, his store is still selling "a lot of coffee."

But he swears he will stop selling the beverage "when it hits \$3 a pound." He predicted prices could climb that high by February.

"The American housewife should tell them (coffee producers) in Brazil are ripping us off," Violante said. "Those guys in Brazil are ripping us off."

South Haven Hospital

SOUTH HAVEN — Patients admitted to South Haven Community hospital yesterday included John Daggett, Henry McGuire, Sr., Daniel Schlaack, all South Haven; Harry Farley, Cecil Funk, Paul Martinsen, all Bangor; Clarence Krumlauf, Grand Junction; Michael Waters, Bloomingdale; Miss Laura Worden, Paw Paw.

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BH Firemen Extinguish Car Fire

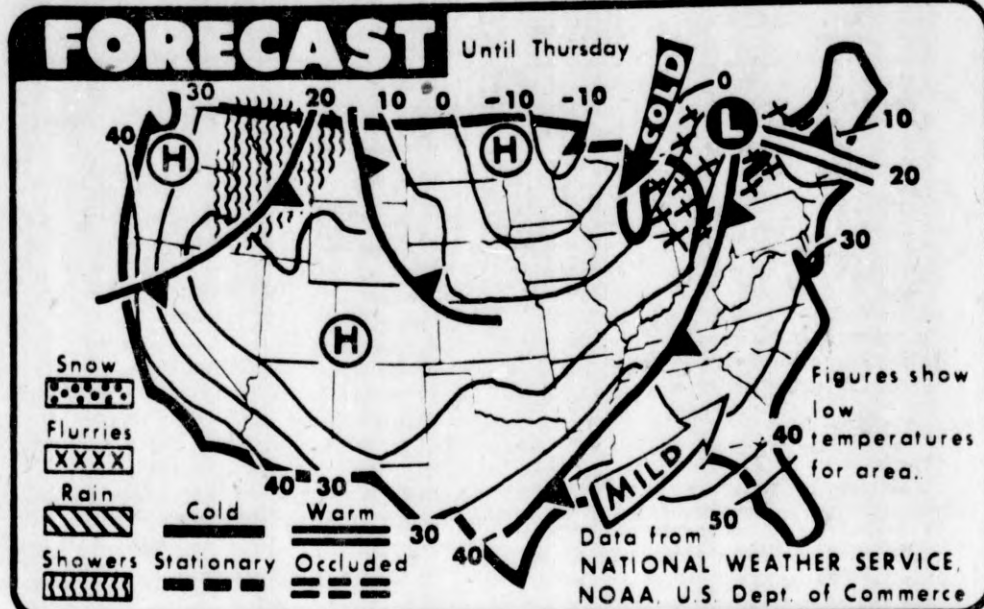
Benton Harbor firemen used a portable fire extinguisher Tuesday to put out a fire in the engine area of a car in the 200 block of South McCord street about 11 a.m. Firemen reported the 1960 Oldsmobile 98 was driven by Hugh Davis, 1196 East Main street, Benton township, and sustained damage to fuel lines and wiring. Fire was caused by a leaking fuel line, firemen said.

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TODAY'S WEATHER MAP: Somewhat warmer temperatures are forecast today for Gulf and Atlantic coast states, but colder weather is expected for the Plains. Snow is forecast from the Great Lakes to New England. Showers are forecast in the Northwest. Mild weather is expected for the West. (AP Wirephoto)

Decatur Will Seek Grant Of \$400,000

DECATUR — The village of Decatur is seeking a federal community development grant of up to \$400,000, according to Clerk Harry Schmidt. The village council, at a special meeting Monday night, voted to apply to the federal Department of Housing and Urban Development for the grant, Schmidt said. If approved, it would be used to purchase property for a new water well and parking area, to blacktop existing parking areas, and for other improvements.

Last year, the village received an \$83,000 grant under the same program. The Berrien Springs consulting firm of Leslie Cripps and Associates has been contracted to prepare the grant application. In another matter, the council Monday voted to purchase a parking area on East Delaware street from the Harding's store for a price of \$10,000.

'GAME OF ROBIN HOOD IN REVERSE'

Small Business Tax Draws Fire

By MALCOLM JOHNSON
Associated Press Writer

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — Michigan's new single business tax is crippling small companies, according to testimony at the last of a series of public hearings on the measure. Several dozen businessmen turned out Tuesday to complain to a governor's task force about the effects of the tax and to urge revisions to ease the burden on small businesses and professionals. "It makes us feel like we've gotten into a game of Robin Hood in reverse," said Michael O'Neill, of the Michigan Institute of Dry Cleaning.

It was the ninth and last hearing conducted by the 47-member task force, which was appointed by Gov. William Milliken to investigate possible changes in the tax. Lt. Gov. James Damman, chairman of the task force, said he hoped to present recommendations by the end of February, and hoped legislative action

would follow soon afterward. But legislative leaders have said such action may be delayed until next fall. Damman said any reduction in tax burden in one area must be made up somewhere else to avoid a loss of state revenue. Alternatives could include raising the tax rate or redesigning other elements of the tax base, he said.

Even critics of the tax acknowledge it is unlikely to be repealed. The tax was enacted last year to replace eight separate business taxes. Supporters said it would promote industrial expansion and create jobs by giving a break to major manufacturers, and would reduce the fluctuations in tax revenues from year to year.

It levies a 2.35 per cent tax on a base made up of profits, payroll, interest and depreciation. But small businesses, and those with large labor forces, have complained they have been stuck with drastic tax

hikes in the state's attempt to keep industry in Michigan and woo new plants into the state.

"We've overkilled by transferring too much from capital-intensive businesses to labor-intensive businesses," said Lawrence Portnoy of the Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants. "We have increased the burden too much in one fell swoop on labor-intensive industry and the professions." Others who testified argued the state cannot judge ability to pay on the basis of how many workers are employed. Businesses can lose money and still be required to pay taxes under the single business tax, they complained.

O'Neill acknowledged much of the testimony sounded like business saying, "We don't give a damn what you do to the rest of industry — just let me off scot-free." But he said the state has overreacted to the threat of business leaving Michigan by endangering small businesses.

Riegle Opening Offices To Aid His Constituents

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — Senator-elect Donald Riegle says he will open seven constituent service offices across Michigan when he takes office next month.

The Democratic congressman, elected last month to succeed retiring Sen. Philip Hart, announced the "regional consti-



HIT WITH PIE: Watergate bagman Anthony Ulasevich has coconut cream pie wiped from his neck after a young man smashed him in the side of the head with the pie as he left federal court in New York, Tuesday. Ulasevich is on trial for tax evasion. (AP Wirephoto)

tuent service operation" Tuesday. He said the offices would provide citizens with access to a 27-member staff for better government service.

Heading the entire Michigan operation will be James Sharp, 43, a Riegle aide, who will be based in Detroit.

Riegle named outgoing state Rep. Howard Wolpe of Kalamazoo to head his Lansing office and serve as liaison with Gov. William Milliken, state agencies and the legislature.

Wolpe, 37, was defeated in his run for Congress against Rep. Carry Brown after two terms in the state House. He will be paid \$25,000 a year.

There probably will be a staff of 3 in the Lansing office, 4 in Detroit, 5 in an office serving suburban Detroit, 2 in Grand Rapids, 3 in Flint and 2 in Marquette. Eight more will work in a "service center" in Detroit working with the entire state.

Riegle said he will have more staff members working in Michigan than in Washington.



RIEGLE AND AIDE: Senator-elect Donald Riegle (left) at press conference Tuesday in Lansing announced he'll open seven constituent service offices across Michigan soon. Head of the Lansing office will be outgoing state Rep. Howard Wolpe of Kalamazoo (right). (AP Wirephoto)

New Instructions Could Shrink Your Tax Credit

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — State taxpayers who don't read instructions on tax credit applications may be getting money they don't deserve, a Michigan treasury official says.

But Kurt Gemalsky, who heads the state's individual income tax division, said Tuesday this year's forms and instructions have been changed to make sure applicants report lottery and bingo winnings, among other things, as part of total household income.

That change, Gemalsky said, could shrink the credit some people receive by increasing the actual size of their income — the basis for computing credits.

Household income has always included bingo and lottery booty and other money, he said. But many people did not read or understand the instructions and omitted those earnings.

"Now, we have more detailed instructions and ask for more detail on the face of the returns," he said.

The new forms for seeking 1976 credits will ask people to specifically list:

—Life and health insurance premiums paid by their employers.

—Bingo and lottery winnings.

—The \$7 per month that is deducted from Social Security

checks for Medicare.

—Scholarships, stipends, grants or G. I. benefits.

In 1976, more than 1.2 million Michigan residents whose property taxes took a large chunk out of their income received credits averaging \$180. Many of the recipients were senior citizens, veterans and disabled persons.

Gemalsky said he could not estimate how much of the \$226 million in credits paid on 1976 returns was undeserved.

LEGAL NOTICES

STATE OF MICHIGAN, THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN, Juvenile Division. In the Matter of the Petition Concerning Ronald Gene Mosher, Minor. To Robert Henry Mosher, Petitioner having been filed in this Court designating that said minor comes within the meaning of Probate Code Chapter 712.5 of the Compiled Laws of that state as amended Sec. 2 (a) (1) and that said child should be placed under the jurisdiction of this Court. IN THE NAME OF THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN, you are hereby notified that the hearing on said petition will be held at the Juvenile Center in the village of Berrien Center in said County, on the 30th day of December, A.D. 1978, at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon, and you are hereby commanded to appear personally at said hearing. If being impractical to make personal service hereof, this summons and notice shall be served by publication of a copy one week previous to said hearing in the Herald-Palladium, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County. Witness, The Honorable J. ZOE S. BURKHOLZ, Judge of said Court, in the City of St. Joseph in said County, this 17th day of December, A.D. 1978. J. ZOE S. BURKHOLZ, Judge of Probate. A True Copy: S. L. Hearn, Deputy Register Juvenile Court, Dec. 22, 1978. H.P. Adv.

Two Waive Hearings In Van Buren

PAW PAW — Two men were bound over to Van Buren circuit court Tuesday after waiving Seventh district court examination on charges of breaking and entering a Sister Lakes restaurant.

Bound over were Virgil E. Holloman, 17, route 2, box 338, Watervliet, and Johnny Lee Brown, 18, route 2, 90th avenue, Hartford.

Van Buren sheriff's deputies said the charges stem from the reported theft of \$25 from the P and J restaurant, M-152, on Dec. 13.

In other cases, John H. Campbell, 57, Bloomingdale, was bound over to circuit court following examination on a charge of carrying a dangerous weapon, a loaded rifle, in a car in Bloomingdale township Oct. 24.

Wayne Peter, 23, 706 Hazen, Paw Paw, was placed on presentence investigation after pleading guilty to a reduced charge of attempted resisting arrest. He had originally been charged with resisting arrest by Paw Paw police Dec. 1 after they had attempted to take him into custody on a charge of creating a public disturbance.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

All residents and property owners of the City of St. Joseph, and other interested persons, firms, agencies and organizations, please take notice that the St. Joseph Planning Commission will, in accordance with Section 8 of Act 283, P.A. 1931, as amended, the Michigan Municipal Planning Act, hold a public hearing on January 6, 1979, at 4:30 P.M., in the Commission Chamber of the St. Joseph City Hall located at 620 Broad Street in St. Joseph. The purpose of the public hearing will be to give explanation and receive public comment and inquiry concerning the proposed revision of the Comprehensive Plan and related maps, approved on September 2, 1978. A copy is available for public inspection at the Inspection Office between the hours of 8 A.M. and 5 P.M. from this date until the hearing date.

ST. JOSEPH PLANNING COMMISSION
Carl L. Conklin,
Secretary
H.P. Adv.
Dec. 22, 1978

Eligible LMC Students Can Obtain State Loans

Area high school seniors and other adults who plan to enroll at Lake Michigan college second semester for a program of study leading to a degree or a certificate may be eligible for long term, low interest state educational loans to help finance their college costs, according to LMC officials.

Created in 1975, the Michigan Higher Educational Student Loan authority is designed to provide a source of guaranteed loans to eligible students who are unable to secure loans from private lending sources, said Margaret Criswell, LMC assistant dean of students.

The loans cannot exceed 50 per cent of the total educational cost up to a maximum of \$2,500 per academic year. Students

may borrow a cumulative total up to \$7,500 for undergraduate study. The interest rate is seven per cent.

LMC registration by mail will continue until Jan. 7, according to Dr. Thomas P. McCourt, registrar. Regular registration will be held on the LMC campus from 4 to 8:30 p.m., Jan. 19, for

students taking 11 semester hours or fewer, and from 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., alphabetically by first letter of last name, Jan. 20 for those enrolling for 12 or more semester hours.

Open registration for all still-unregistered students will be held from 12:30 to 8:30 p.m., Jan. 20, Dr. McCourt indicated.

'Lost' Car Is Found Buried Under Snow

BY TOM SAWYER
Staff Writer

Berrien sheriff's deputies said a Buchanan man's car buried by heavy snow Tuesday and reported lost or stolen was located by police some 11 hours after the man began looking for it.

Larry Lingie, 3860 Buffalo road, told deputies he went off Lemon Creek road about 12:30 a.m. during a heavy snowstorm. He said he got a ride home and left the car, he estimated, about two miles east of Baroda.

When he went back for the car about 9 a.m. Tuesday, and couldn't find it, he reported it lost after searching along Lemon Creek road.

Deputies said Baroda-Lake township police finally found the car buried under snow about 8 p.m. off Lemon Creek road. Deputies said it appeared both falling snow and passing snowplows buried the car.

Allegan Divorces

ALLEGAN — The following marriages have been dissolved by divorce decrees issued in Allegan county Circuit court:

June, Mary J., from Timothy, both of Wayland, one child to the mother.

Counterman, Carl of Fennville, from Violet of Holland. Bass, Robert of Bangor, from Evelyn of Allegan.

Pallett, Sherry from Marshall Jr., both of Plainwell, two children to the mother.

Seymour, Colleen from Melvin, both of Allegan.

Pegg, Jacqueline, Wyoming, from Gerald, of Allegan, one child to the mother and three children to the father.

Lapham, Marcia from Paul, both of Wayland, one child to the mother and two children to the

South Haven City Offices To Close

SOUTH HAVEN — City hall will close at noon Thursday and be closed all day Friday for the Christmas holiday, according to city manager Paul Sharon.

The same schedule will be followed for the New Year's holiday.

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The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids submitted; to waive any irregularities in the bids; or to accept any responsible proposal when it may appear to be in the best interest of the school district to do so.

Dated: 16 December 1978
Dennis L. Percy
Business Manager
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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made the 9th day of May, 1974, by Johnnie C. May and Louise May, as mortgagors, to United States of America, as mortgagee, and recorded on May 9, 1974, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Berrien County, Michigan in Liber 974 of mortgages on pages 1126-1129; on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice Seventeen Thousand One Hundred Seventy-Two and 35/100 dollars (\$17,172.35) principal and One Thousand Eight Hundred Thirteen and 67/100 dollars (\$1,813.67) interest; no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt, or any part of the debt, secured by said the place for holding the Cir-

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Special Notices 6

NEED PRIVATE Lunchroom facilities for 25 or more? Call Captain's Table, 87-261, Mr. Neuman.

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House is located in True Road, in Berrien Center. Second house on left after crossing railroad tracks. It's about 80% complete. Do a little and have a lot. Low down payment and rent like monthly payments makes you an owner instead of a renter. Excellent opportunity. Nice 4 bedroom bungalow with 3 baths. We can furnish materials to complete. Immediate possession. No closing costs or sales commission. See it. Contact: Randle Dept., 4500 Lyndale Ave. N., Minneapolis, Minnesota, 55412 (612) 568-9758. Monday-Friday, 8:30-5:30 Central Time.

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Sharp 2 bedroom home with nice sized rooms. Carpeting throughout, formal dining, large utility room, newly finished and a 1 1/2 car garage. Setting on a wooded lot with many shrubs. Reason for a garden. PRICED AT \$22,900.

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WE FOUND IT!! 3 bedrooms, lots of carpet, formal dining room, full basement, 2 1/2 car garage. Way out in the country and owners anxious to sell. So call and see what only \$21,900 buys. Randy Koehler 423-5448.

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That's right! This 2 or 4 bedroom quad-level with formal dining room and family room with fireplace is within walking distance of Michigan Lutheran High School. Call today for your private showing. Gary Troop 428-5695. Only \$11,900.

MONDAY-FRIDAY 9 A.M. TO 8 P.M.

'GAME OF ROBIN HOOD IN REVERSE'

Small Business Tax Draws Fire

By MALCOLM JOHNSON
Associated Press Writer

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — Michigan's new single business tax is crippling small companies, according to testimony at the last of a series of public hearings on the measure. Several dozen businessmen turned out Tuesday to complain to a governor's task force about the effects of the tax and to urge revisions to ease the burden on small businesses and professionals. "It makes us feel like we've gotten into a game of Robin Hood in reverse," said Michael O'Neill, of the Michigan Institute of Dry Cleaning.

It was the ninth and last hearing conducted by the 47-member task force, which was appointed by Gov. William Milliken to investigate possible changes in the tax. Lt. Gov. James Damman, chairman of the task force, said he hoped to present recommendations by the end of February, and hoped legislative action

would follow soon afterward. But legislative leaders have said such action may be delayed until next fall. Damman said any reduction in tax burden in one area must be made up someplace else to avoid a loss of state revenue. Alternatives could include raising the tax rate or redesigning other elements of the tax base, he said.

Even critics of the tax acknowledge it is unlikely to be repealed. The tax was enacted last year to replace eight separate business taxes. Supporters said it would promote industrial expansion and create jobs by giving a break to major manufacturers, and would reduce the fluctuations in tax revenues from year to year.

It levies a 2.35 per cent tax on a base made up of profits, payroll, interest and depreciation. But small businesses, and those with large labor forces, have complained they have been stuck with drastic tax

hikes in the state's attempt to keep industry in Michigan and woo new plants into the state.

"We've overkilled by transferring too much from capital-intensive businesses to labor-intensive businesses," said Lawrence Portnoy of the Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants. "We have increased the burden too much in one fell swoop on labor-intensive industry and the professions." Others who testified argued the state cannot judge ability to pay on the basis of how many workers are employed. Businesses can lose money and still be required to pay taxes under the single business tax, they complained.

O'Neill acknowledged much of the testimony sounded like business saying, "We don't give a damn what you do to the rest of industry — just let me off scot-free." But he said the state has overreacted to the threat of business leaving Michigan by endangering small businesses.



RIEGLER AND AIDE: Senator-elect Donald Riegler (left) at press conference Tuesday in Lansing announced he'll open seven constituent service offices across Michigan soon. Head of the Lansing office will be outgoing state Rep. Howard Wolpe of Kalamazoo (right). (AP Wirephoto)

New Instructions Could Shrink Your Tax Credit

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — State taxpayers who don't read instructions on tax credit applications may be getting money they don't deserve, a Michigan treasury official says.

But Kurt Gemalsky, who heads the state's individual income tax division, said Tuesday this year's forms and instructions have been changed to make sure applicants report lottery and bingo winnings, among other things, as part of total household income.

That change, Gemalsky said, could shrink the credit some people receive by increasing the actual size of their income — the basis for computing credits. Household income has always included bingo and lottery winnings and other money, he said. But many people did not read or understand the instructions and omitted those earnings.

"Now, we have more detailed instructions and ask for more detail on the face of the returns," he said.

The new forms for seeking 1976 credits will ask people to specifically list:

- Life and health insurance premiums paid by their employers.
- Bingo and lottery winnings.
- The \$7 per month that is deducted from Social Security

checks for Medicare.

—Scholarships, stipends, grants or G. I. benefits.

In 1975, more than 1.2 million Michigan residents whose property taxes took a large chunk out of their income received credits averaging \$180. Many of the recipients were senior citizens, veterans and disabled persons.

Gemalsky said he could not estimate how much of the \$226 million in credits paid on 1975 returns was undeserved.

LEGAL NOTICES

Cause No. 99608
STATE OF MICHIGAN,
THE PROBATE COURT
FOR THE COUNTY OF
BERRIEN
Juvenile Division
In the Matter of the Petition Concerning
Ronald Gene Mosher, Minor.
To Robert Henry Mosher,
Petitioner having filed in this Court
alleging that said minor comes within
the meaning of Probate Code Chapter 712.5 of
the Compiled Laws of 1948 as amended
Sec. 2 (a) (1) and that said child should be
placed under the jurisdiction of this Court.
IN THE NAME OF THE PEOPLE OF
THE STATE OF MICHIGAN, You are
herby notified that the hearing on said
petition will be held at the Juvenile Center
in the village of Berrien Center in said
County, on the 30th day of December A.D.
1976, at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon, and
you are hereby commanded to appear
personally at said hearing.
It being impractical to make personal
service hereof, this summons and notice
shall be served by publication of a copy
one week previous to said hearing in the
Herald-Palladium, a newspaper printed
and circulated in said County.
Witness, The HONORABLE
ZOE S. BURKHOLZ
Judge of said Court, in the City
of St. Joseph, in said County,
this 17th day of
December A.D. 1976.
ZOE S. BURKHOLZ
Judge of Probate
A true Copy,
S. Heyn
Deputy Register Juvenile Court
Dec. 22, 1976 H.P. Adv.

Two Waive Hearings In Van Buren

PAW PAW — Two men were bound over to Van Buren circuit court Tuesday after waiving Seventh district court examination on charges of breaking and entering a Sister Lakes restaurant.

Bound over were Virgil E. Holloman, 17, route 2, box 339, Watervliet, and Johnny Lee Brown, 18, route 2, 90th avenue, Hartford.

Van Buren sheriff's deputies said the charges stem from the reported theft of \$25 from the P and J restaurant, M-152, on Dec. 13.

In other cases, John H. Campbell, 57, Bloomingdale, was bound over to circuit court following examination on a charge of carrying a dangerous weapon, a loaded rifle, in a car in Bloomingdale township Oct. 24.

Wayne Peter, 23, 706 Hazen, Paw Paw, was placed on pre-sentence investigation after pleading guilty to a reduced charge of attempted resisting arrest. He had originally been charged with resisting arrest by Paw Paw police Dec. 1 after they had attempted to take him into custody on a charge of creating a public disturbance.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

All residents and property owners of the City of St. Joseph, and other interested persons, firms, agencies and organizations, please take notice that the St. Joseph Planning Commission will, in accordance with Section 8 of Act 285, P.A. 1931, as amended, the Michigan Municipal Planning Act, hold a public hearing on January 6, 1977, at 4:30 P.M., in the Commission Chamber of the St. Joseph City Hall located at 620 Broad Street in St. Joseph. The purpose of the public hearing will be to give explanation and receive public comment and inquiry concerning the proposed revision of the Comprehensive Plan and related maps, approved on September 2, 1976. A copy is available for public inspection at the Inspection Office between the hours of 8 A.M. and 5 P.M. from this date until the hearing date.

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PLANNING COMMISSION
Carl L. Conklin,
Secretary
H.P. Adv.
Dec. 22, 1976

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The Board of Education of the St. Joseph Public Schools will receive sealed bids for property described as the Royal School located at 4938 Niles Road and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point 187.5 feet South of the Northwest corner of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 20, Township 5 South Range 18 West, thence South 213 feet, thence East 164 feet to the Niles Road; thence North 31° 45' West 245.6 feet; thence West 40.8 feet to the place of beginning, containing 1/2 acre of land.

Only sealed bids submitted on forms provided by the St. Joseph Public Schools will be accepted. The bid forms may be obtained at the office of the Business Manager, 2214 South State Street, St. Joseph, Michigan, and all sealed bids shall be delivered to the office of the Business Manager on or before 10 January 1977, 2:00 p.m., e.s.t. Appointments for inspection of the premises may be made by calling the office of the Business Manager for the St. Joseph Public Schools, (616) 983-7173.

The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids submitted, to waive any irregularities in the bids, or to accept any responsible proposal when it may appear to be in the best interest of the school district to do so.

Dated: 16 December 1976
Dennis L. Percy
Business Manager
Dec. 18, 22, 1976, Jan. 5, 1977
H.P. Adv.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made the 9th day of May, 1974, by Johnnie C. May and Louise May, as mortgagors, to United States of America, as mortgagee, and recorded on May 9, 1974, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Berrien County, Michigan in Liber 974 of mortgages on pages 1126-1129; on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice Seventeen Thousand One Hundred Seventy-Two and 35/100 dollars (\$17,172.35) principal and One Thousand Eight Hundred Thirteen and 67/100 dollars (\$1,813.67) interest; no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt, or any part of the debt, secured by said the place for holding the Cir-

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cuit Court for the County of Berrien, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described, as follows, to-wit: That property located in Berrien County, in the State of Michigan. PART OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 21, TOWNSHIP 3 SOUTH, RANGE 17 WEST, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: THAT PART OF THE SOUTH 50 FEET OF THE NORTH 602 FEET OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 21, LYING BETWEEN PAW PAW LAKE ROAD CENTER LINE AND THE CENTER LINE OF THE HIGHWAY TO THE WEST, BEING COLOMA TOWNSHIP, BERRIEN COUNTY, MICHIGAN.

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Dated November 24, 1976.
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Room 2920,
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Attorney for Mortgagee
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Calvin C. Lutz, State Director
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WOULD THE PERSON — Or persons who have my dog, Whiskers, please call 944-5362 after 5:30 P.M.

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Personals 5

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Riegler Opening Offices To Aid His Constituents

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — Senator-elect Donald Riegler says he will open seven constituent service offices across Michigan when he takes office next month.

The Democratic congressman, elected last month to succeed retiring Sen. Philip Hart, announced the "regional consti-

tuent service operation" Tuesday. He said the offices would provide citizens with access to a 27-member staff for better government service.

Heading the entire Michigan operation will be James Sharp, 43, a Riegler aide, who will be based in Detroit.

Riegler named outgoing state Rep. Howard Wolpe of Kalamazoo to head his Lansing office and serve as liaison with Gov. William Milliken, state agencies and the legislature.

Wolpe, 37, was defeated in his run for Congress against Rep. Garry Brown after two terms in the state House. He will be paid \$25,000 a year.

There probably will be a staff of 3 in the Lansing office, 4 in Detroit, 5 in an office serving suburban Detroit, 2 in Grand Rapids, 3 in Flint and 2 in Marquette. Eight more will work in a "service center" in Detroit working with the entire state.

Riegler said he will have more staff members working in Michigan than in Washington.

KIDNAPER SENTENCED

ATLANTA (AP) — William A.H. Williams, convicted last September in a retrial for the 1974 abduction of newspaper editor Reg Murphy, has been sentenced to 40 years in prison.



HIT WITH PIE: Watergate bagman Anthony Ulasiewicz has coconut cream pie wiped from his neck after a young man smacked him in the side of the head with the pie as he left federal court in New York, Tuesday. Ulasiewicz is on trial for tax evasion. (AP Wirephoto)

Eligible LMC Students Can Obtain State Loans

Area high school seniors and other adults who plan to enroll at Lake Michigan college second semester for a program of study leading to a degree or a certificate may be eligible for long term, low interest state educational loans to help finance their college costs, according to LMC officials.

Created in 1975, the Michigan Higher Educational Student Loan authority is designed to provide a source of guaranteed loans to eligible students who are unable to secure loans from private lending sources, said Margaret Crisshal, LMC assistant dean of students.

The loans cannot exceed 50 per cent of the total educational cost up to a maximum of \$2,500 per academic year. Students

may borrow a cumulative total up to \$7,500 for undergraduate study. The interest rate is seven per cent.

LMC registration by mail will continue until Jan. 7, according to Dr. Thomas P. McCourt, registrar. Regular registration will be held on the LMC campus from 4 to 8:30 p.m., Jan. 19, for

students taking 11 semester hours or fewer, and from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., alphabetically by first letter of last name, Jan. 20 for those enrolling for 12 or more semester hours.

Open registration for all still-unregistered students will be held from 12:30 to 8:30 p.m., Jan. 20, Dr. McCourt indicated.

'Lost' Car Is Found Buried Under Snow

BY TOM SAWYER
Staff Writer

Berrien sheriff's deputies said a Buchanan man's car buried by heavy snow Tuesday and reported lost or stolen was located by police some 11 hours after the man began looking for it.

Larry Lingle, 3860 Buffalo road, told deputies he went off Lemon Creek road about 12:30 a.m. during a heavy snowstorm. He said he got a ride home and left the car, he estimated, about two miles east of Baroda.

When he went back for the car about 9 a.m. Tuesday, and couldn't find it, he reported it lost after searching along Lemon Creek road.

Deputies said Baroda-Lake township police finally found the car buried under snow about 8 p.m. off Lemon Creek road. Deputies said it appeared both falling snow and passing snowplows buried the car.

Allegan Divorces

ALLEGAN — The following marriages have been dissolved by divorce decrees issued in Allegan county Circuit court.

June, Mary J., from Timothy, both of Wayland, one child to the mother.

Counterman, Carl of Fennville, from Violet of Holland.

Bass, Robert of Bangor, from Evelyn of Allegan.

Pallett, Sherry from Marshall Jr., both of Plainwell, two children to the mother.

Seymour, Colleen from Melvin, both of Allegan.

Pegg, Jacqueline, Wyoming, from Gerald, of Allegan, one child to the mother and three children to the father.

Lapham, Marcia from Paul, both of Wayland, one child to the mother and two children to the

father.
Waldon, Janet from David, both of Plainwell, one child to the mother.

South Haven City Offices To Close

SOUTH HAVEN — City hall will close at noon Thursday and be closed all day Friday for the Christmas holiday, according to city manager Paul Sharon.

The same schedule will be followed for the New Year's holiday.

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bath. Oil heat. Two garages, one
ideal as a workshop. Has plenty of
land for gardening. Rows of good
bearing red raspberries, also rows
of strawberries. Nice Jonathon
Apple trees. Taxes only \$210 a year.
This lovely home has been ex-
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stalled a new \$700 well. Now priced
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drainage. 78 acres in woods, some
Walnut trees. Seller will finance on
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CUTE BUNGALOW!!

No. 6683, Near Two Lake Mich. park areas. Has a nice sized lot with shade trees. Has a partial stone exterior front. The 21 ft. long all-carpeted living room features a Franklin fireplace. Kitchen with cabinets. Pretty paneled rooms 11 X 13.6 ft. Bedroom. Full modern bath. Oil heat. Two garages, one ideal as a workshop. Has plenty of land for gardening. Rows of good bearing red raspberries, also rows of strawberries. Nice Jonathan Apple trees. Taxes only \$210 a year. This lovely home has been extensively remodelled, also just installed a new \$700 well. Now priced to sell at \$16,900!!

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4929...To enjoy with this brand new tri-level in St. Joseph school district. Includes fireplace in family room, gas heat, city water and sewer, built-in kitchen and 2-car garage. There's still time for you to select colors. \$38,900.

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3883. A spacious bedrooms will accommodate a large family in this new home in an exclusive area of St. Joe. Carpeted family room has fireplace. Fully equipped kitchen will serve meals in style in the formal dining room. Convenient second floor laundry room, attached 2 1/2 car garage, central air and full basement are just a few extras. Easy walk to E.P. Clarke School.

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5752...A picture perfect setting with family room overlooking pine enclosed backyard with in-ground pool. 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, formal dining, dollar-saving gas utilities, full finished basement with rec room and 2-car garage with automatic door opener. Transferred owner has given tender loving care. \$53,900.

CAPE COD COMFORT

5572...You'll appreciate the comforts of home in this 3 bedroom aluminum sided residence with new redecorating, new thick carpeting, many closets off upstairs bedroom, full basement and built-in kitchen. Located on Elvren Dr. in N.E. Fairplain. \$22,500.

SWISS SPLENDOR

5606...Home of charm and quality on cul-de-sac with great privacy and beautiful landscaping. Formal slate entry, atrium terrace, sunken living room, family room with fireplace, built-in kitchen and large basement. Excellent traffic pattern. You'll be pleased. \$49,900.

LYOLA COURT!!

5574...Have you seen this lovely brick ranch 3 bedroom with 2 1/2 car garage located on a 90X120 ft. lot? Ideal for the family with nice living room, dining area, built-in kitchen, gas heat and hooked to city water. In excellent condition, you should treat yourself to see this value at \$31,900.

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5431...Growing family? Then this 3 bedroom brick should be your next step to a larger home. Features built-in kitchen, 1 1/2 baths, partly finished basement and carpeted living room. Step inside and you'll agree that the time has come to move. We trade! \$34,900.

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5187...Get acquainted right away with the convenient location of this 3 bedroom aluminum ranch located in South St. Joe. We find it close to schools, shopping, 1-94, and the private backyard gives you the feeling of living in the country. 4th bedroom in basement can be used in many different ways, workshop in basement will be a delight to Dad and the built-in kitchen will help Mom, too. \$30,900 with immediate possession.

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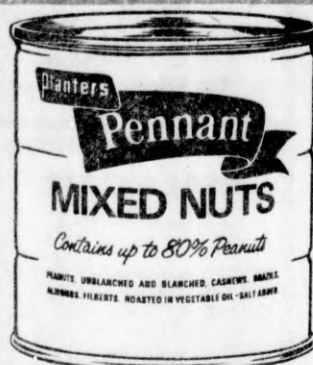
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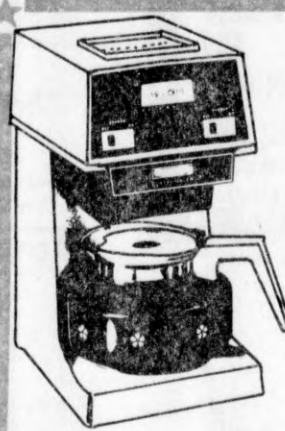


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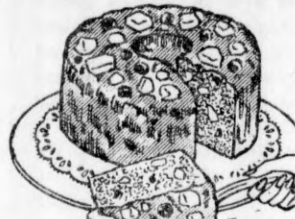
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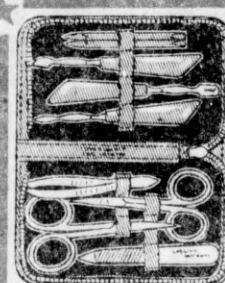
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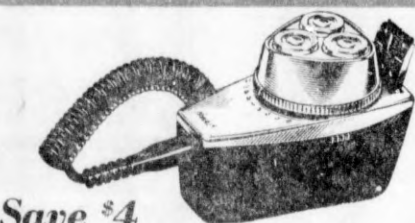
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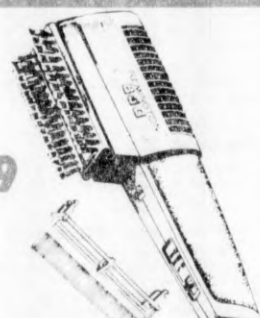
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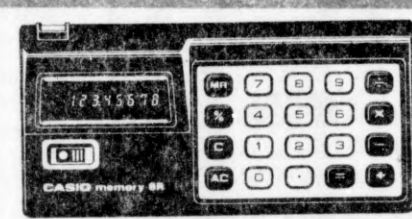


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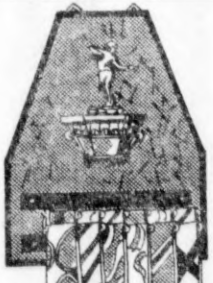
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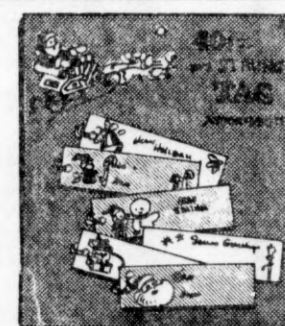
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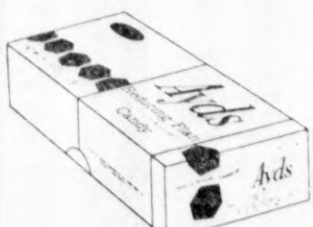
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